

# **ANNUAL REPORTS**

OF THE TOWN OF

## **HOLLIS**

## **NEW HAMPSHIRE**



For twelve months ending

December 31, 1958

Also Zoning Laws



# **ANNUAL REPORTS**

of the

OFFICERS and COMMITTEES

of the Town of

**HOLLIS, N. H.**

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1958

With Report of

SCHOOL DISTRICT

FOR THE YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1958



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## TOWN OFFICERS

### Selectmen, Assessors and Overseers of the Poor

Roscoe L. Brown                      Edward Lievens                      Harold Farnum

### Town Clerk

Bertha Duncan

### Tax Collector

Evelyn B. Rice

### Supervisors of the Check List

H. Clifford Manning                      Ann J. Goodwin                      Dave Hardy

### Fire Chief

Warren H. Towne

### Fire Wards

Warren H. Towne                      Roscoe L. Brown                      Erving Simonds

### Police Chief

Harold C. King, Jr.

### Representative

Anne J. Goodwin

### Sexton

Kenneth Marvel

### Trustees of the Trust Funds

Wendell C. Wright                      Jeffery Smith                      Clarence Howe

### Auditors

Gordon McEnnis    H. Clifford Manning

### **Library Trustees**

Gordon McEnnis, 1959  
Pearl Rideout, 1959  
Doris Bell, 1960

Eugene Beal, 1960  
Elizabeth Parker, 1961  
Dave Salvail, 1961

### **Town Budget Committee**

Harold Hardy, 1959  
Morton Goulder, 1959  
Jeffery Smith, 1961

Henry Hildreth, 1961  
Timothy O'Neill, 1962  
Dick Walker, 1962

### **Planning Board**

E. Lievens, Ex Officio  
Winston Hambleton, 1959  
Boyd Weston, 1960

Francis Bell, 1961  
Henry Hills, 1961

### **Board of Adjustment**

Franklin Worcester, 1959  
William Howe, 1959  
Wendell Wright, 1960

Helen D. Bell, 1961  
Dave Salvail, 1961

### **Forestry Committee**

Edward Watson, 1958  
Henry Hildreth, 1958  
Robert Hayden, 1959

Franklin Worcester, 1959  
Alton Seagar, 1960  
Jeffery Smith, 1960

## TOWN WARRANT

*To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hollis in the County of Hillsborough in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said Hollis on Tuesday, the 10th day of March, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon to elect by ballot Town Officers for the ensuing year, said balloting to start at 10:00 A. M. and continue until 7:30 P. M., and to act upon the following subjects at 7:30 P. M.

1. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

2. To hear the reports of the Selectmen and other Town Officers and Committees.

3. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes.

4. To see if the Town will vote to accept State Aid for the construction of Class V Roads and appropriate the sum of \$1,072.04.

5. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to distribute blank inventories at the time of appraisal.

6. To see if the Town will vote to assess a fine of twenty cents on each poll tax not paid by December 1, 1959.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Merrimack Valley Regional Association.

8. To see if the Town will vote to extend; the Recreational District Wood Lane to Rocky Pond Road. Two thirds now considered as Recreational District.

9. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue Old Section of Route #130; Starting at Station #111 of the relocated Route #130, Easterly to the Junction of Parker Lane, and Old Route #130; a distance of approximately 350 feet, (three hundred and fifty feet.)

10. To see if the Town will vote to discontinue the Old Section of Route #122; starting at Station #22/00, Northerly, by Charles A. & Mabel Fenimore thru Station #26/00; not intending to dis-continue any portion of the Old Route #122; within the Right of Way of the new Highway.



11. To see if the Town will vote to install, one new street light, at the junction of Flint Pond Drive and Route #130. Also to see if the Town will vote to install, one new Street Light; at the North end of Flint Pond Drive; in the new accepted Section of Flint Pond Drive.

12. To see if the Ernest Dunklee land will be added to the Town Forest land under the management of the Town Forest Committee, with the agreement that a tract of the Ernest Dunklee land may be used by the Fire Department for a drill area.

13. To see if the Town will vote to authorize the Trustees of the Trust Funds; to release the monies known as The Elizabeth Proctor Legacy to the Hollis Historical Society; to be held by said Society and used to protect and care for "The Moses Proctor and Elizabeth Proctor Collection."

In the event said Society should dissolve or no longer care to assume the above responsibilities, of caring for the "Proctor Collection," the unused balance of said monies shall revert to the Town of Hollis, N. H.

14. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this 21st day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-nine.

ROSCOE BROWN  
EDWARD LIEVENS  
HAROLD FARNUM

Selectmen of Hollis

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

ROSCOE BROWN  
EDWARD LIEVENS  
HAROLD FARNUM

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HOLLIS

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year  
January 1, 1959 to December 31, 1959

Compared with  
Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures  
of the Previous Year January 1, 1958 to December 31, 1958

SOURCES OF REVENUE	Estimated Revenue Previous Year 1958	Actual Revenue Previous Year 1958	Estimated Revenue Ensuing Year 1959
FROM STATE:			
Interest and Dividends Tax	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,909.29	\$ 3,500.00
Railroad Tax		127	1.27
Savings Bank Tax	20.00	28.04	20.00
Reimbursement a/c State			
Head Tax		17.34	
Salt and Gravel		128.90	
For Fighting Forest Fires		5.41	
Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		72.81	
Use of Town Grader		787.27	
FROM LOCAL SOURCES EXCEPT TAXES:			
Dog Licenses	600.00	713.50	600.00
Business Licenses, Permits and			
Filing Fees	10.00	20.00	10.00
Fines and Forfeits, Municipal Court	150.00	525.00	400.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Bldgs.	200.00	399.20	200.00
Interest Received on Taxes and			
Deposits	550.00	936.26	700.00
Income from Trust Funds	500.00	482.51	400.00
Refund: Ins. Memorial Day		52.22	
Highway, including rental of equip.		1,247.10	
Forest Fire Refund		540.60	
Town Scales	25.00	40.75	25.00
Town Forest	2,000.00	1,308.15	2,000.00
Refund Town Poor		453.40	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	8,500.00	9,634.67	9,000.00
Ambulance Service		135.00	
Sale of Town Property: Maps			
and History		113.75	
Eastern State Dividend		3.07	
Perpetual Care Cemeteries		100.00	
Cemetery Lots		50.00	
Pumping out Wells		3.00	
AMOUNT RAISED BY ISSUE OF BONDS OR NOTES:			
(State Purpose of each Issue)			
Temporary Loan		20,000.00	
Cash Surplus	6,582.64	6,100.00	1,635.12
FROM LOCAL TAXES OTHER THAN			

PROPERTY TAXES:

(a)	Poll Taxes - Regular @ \$2	1,000.00	1,208.00	1,000.00
(b)	National Bank Stock Taxes	15.00	6.00	5.00
(c)	Yield Taxes	300.00	1,227.48	350.00
(d)	Head Taxes \$3,820.00			
	Penalties \$70.00		3,890.00	
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TOTAL REV. FROM ALL SOURCES				
EXCEPT PROPERTY TAXES \$ 22,452.44		\$ 54,139.99	\$ 19,846.39	
AMOUNT TO BE RAISED BY				
PROPERTY TAXES				172,221.93
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TOTAL REVENUES				\$192,068.32

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES	Appropriations Previous Year 1958	Actual Expenditures Previous Year 1958	Estimated Expenditures Ensuing Year 1959
Current Maintenance Expenses:			
GENERAL GOVERNMENT:			
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 2,144.80	\$ 2,200.00
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00	1,537.33	1,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00	25.00	100.00
Municipal Court Expenses	250.00	194.93	250.00
Expenses Town Hall and Other Town Bldgs.	3,500.00	2,957.89	3,650.00
PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY:			
Police Department	2,500.00	2,266.13	2,000.00
Fire Department	4,200.00	4,786.96	4,200.00
Moth Extermination—Blister Rust and Care of Trees	500.00		500.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00		100.00
Damage by Dogs	850.00	457.31	500.00
Civil Defense	200.00	536.33	200.00
HEALTH:			
Health Dept., Including Hospitals	70.00	63.35	70.00
Vital Statistics	50.00	46.00	50.00
Water Resource Study	250.00		
Town Dump and Garbage Removal	200.00	162.50	1,500.00
HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:			
Town Maintenance—Summer	9,000.00	11,431.84	9,000.00
Town Maintenance—Winter	6,000.00	5,992.45	6,500.00
Street Lighting	1,850.00	1,659.66	1,850.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	1,700.00	2,936.37	2,000.00
Town Road Aid	1,060.30	1,060.30	1,072.04
LIBRARIES	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,750.00
PUBLIC WELFARE:			
Town Poor	2,000.00	2,252.38	2,000.00
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	1,884.79	3,200.00
PATRIOTIC PURPOSES:			
Memorial Day and Veterans' Associations	250.00	228.62	250.00
Aid to Soldiers and Their Families	100.00		100.00
RECREATION:			
Parks and Playground, Including Band Concerts	900.00	745.56	1,150.00
PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES:			
To Trust Fund Perpetual Care		100.00	
Town Scales	25.00	6.20	25.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00	966.63	1,000.00
Town Forest	2,000.00	1,895.72	2,000.00

UNCLASSIFIED:

Damage and Legal Expense		10.00	100.00
Refunds		81.23	
Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00	100.00	100.00
Taxes bought by Town		540.86	
Subsequent Taxes		5.39	
Head Tax		3,712.50	

INTEREST:

On Temporary Loans	350.00	207.70	300.00
On Long Term Notes and Bonds	325.00	243.00	200.00
Timber Tax Bond Retirement		258.05	

Outlay for New Construction and Perm. Improv.

HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES:

New Lands and Buildings	500.00	497.10	250.00
New Equipment	1,800.00	1,144.23	500.00

PAYMENT ON PRINCIPAL OF DEBT:

(a) Temporary Loan		20,000.00	
(b) Long Term Notes	4,200.00	4,200.00	2,200.00
County Taxes	10,783.79	10,783.79	11,000.00
School Taxes	114,141.00	110,141.00	128,701.28

TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$179,055.09	\$199,463.90	\$192,068.32
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## SUMMARY INVENTORY OF VALUATION

Lands and Buildings (Exclusive of Mill Bldgs., Land and Machinery)	\$2,306,358.00
Mill Buildings, Land and Machinery	18,800.00
Electric Plants, 1	126,000.00
Stock in Trade	10,850.00
Boats and Launches, 8	1,000.00
Horses, Asses and Mules, 17	1,825.00
Cows, 652	65,200.00
Other Neat Stock, 35	2,220.00
Sheep and Goats, 12	120.00
Hogs, 128	2,560.00
Fowls, 38,916	19,490.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	2,150.00
Fur-bearing Animals and Rabbits, 200	1,000.00
Wood, Lumber, etc.	200.00

TOTAL GROSS VALUATION BEFORE EXEMPTIONS ALLOWED	2,557,773.00
LESS: VETERANS' EXEMPTIONS AND EXEMPTIONS TO BLIND	105,000.00
NET VALUATION ON WHICH TAX RATE IS COMPUTED	2,452,773.00

1. Amount of property valuation exempted to veterans	\$ 105,000.00
2. Amount of Property valuation exempted to blind	0.00
3. Number of inventories distributed	700
4. Number of inventories returned	338
5. Number of veterans who received property exemption	105
6. Number of veterans exempted from poll tax	182

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief.

ROSCOE BROWN  
EDWARD LIEVENS  
HAROLD FARNUM

Selectmen

STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND TAXES  
 ASSESSED FOR THE TAX YEAR 1958  
 TOWN OF HOLLIS

APPROPRIATIONS

Town Officers Salaries	\$ 2,200.00
Town Officers Expenses	1,500.00
Election and Registration Expenses	200.00
Municipal Court Expenses	250.00
Town Hall and Buildings Maintenance	3,500.00
Police Department	2,500.00
Fire Dep't.	4,200.00
Blister Rust—Moth Extermination and Care of Trees	500.00
Planning and Zoning	100.00
Damage by Dogs & Legal Expense	850.00
Civilian Defense	200.00
Health Department	70.00
Vital Statistics	50.00
Dump	200.00
Town Road Aid	1,060.30
Town Maintenance	15,000.00
Street Lighting	1,850.00
General Expenses of Highway Dept.	1,700.00
Libraries	1,200.00
Old Age Assistance	3,200.00
Public Relief (Town Poor \$2,000.) (Soldiers' Aid \$100.)	2,100.00
Memorial Day, Vet. Assoc., Old Home Day	250.00
Parks and Playgrounds inc. Band Concerts	900.00
Water Resource Study	250.00
Cemeteries	1,000.00
Town Scales	25.00
Town Forest	2,000.00
Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00
New Buildings and Lands	500.00
New Equipment	1,800.00
Payment on Debt (Prin. \$4,200.) (Int. \$675.)	4,875.00
County Tax	10,783.79
School Tax	114,141.00
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TOTAL TOWN AND SCHOOL APPROPRIATIONS	\$179,055.09

Less: Estimated Revenues and Credits:

Interest on Taxes	\$	550.00	
Interest and Dividends Tax		3,909.29	
Savings Bank Tax		20.00	
Revenue from Yield Sources		330.00	
Dog Licenses		600.00	
Business Licenses, Permits & Filing Fees		10.00	
Fines and Forfeits—Mun. Court		150.00	
Rent of Town Property and Equipment		200.00	
Income from Trust Funds		500.00	
Town Scales		25.00	
Town Forest		2,000.00	
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees		8,500.00	
Cash Surplus (see note)		6,100.00	
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TOTAL REVENUES & CREDITS			\$ 22,894.29
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			156,160.80
Plus Overlay			648.01
Net Amount to be raised by Taxation			156,808.81
Less: 644 Poll Taxes at \$2.00	\$	1,288.00	
National Bank Stock Taxes		15.00	
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			\$ 1,303.00
Amt. to be raised by property taxes			\$155,505.81



# COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 1958

	Appropriations Previous Year 1958	Receipts and Reimbursements	Total Amount Available	Expenditures	Unexpended Balance	Overdraft
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 2,200.00	\$	\$ 2,200.00	\$ 2,144.80	\$ 55.20	\$
Town Officers' Expenses	1,500.00		1,500.00	1,537.33		37.33
Election and Registration	200.00		200.00	25.00	175.00	
Municipal Court	250.00		250.00	194.93	55.07	
Town Hall and Other Buildings	3,500.00		3,500.00	2,957.89	542.11	
Police Department	2,500.00	135.00	2,635.00	2,266.13	368.87	
Fire Department	4,200.00	549.01	4,749.01	4,786.96		37.95
Blister Rust and Care of Trees	500.00		500.00		500.00	
Planning and Zoning	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Dog Damage and Legal Expense	850.00		850.00	467.31	382.69	
Civil Defense	200.00		200.00	536.33		336.33
Health Department	70.00		70.00	63.35	6.65	
Vital Statistics	50.00		50.00	46.00	4.00	
Town Dump	200.00		200.00	162.50	37.50	
Town Road Aid	1,060.30		1,060.30	1,060.30		
Winter Roads	6,000.00	46.40	6,046.40	5,992.45	53.95	
Summer Roads	9,000.00	2,136.88	11,136.88	11,431.84		305.04
Street Lighting	1,850.00		1,850.00	1,659.66	190.34	
General Expenses Highway Department	1,700.00		1,700.00	2,936.37		
Libraries	1,200.00		1,200.00	1,200.00		

Old Age Assistance	3,200.00	72.81	3,272.81	1,884.79	1,388.02	1,236.37
Town Poor	2,000.00	453.40	2,453.40	2,252.38	201.02	
Aid to Soldiers	100.00		100.00		100.00	
Memorial Day	250.00	24.71	274.71	228.62	46.09	
Parks and Playgrounds - Concerts	900.00	3.07	903.07	745.56	157.51	
Water Resource Study	250.00		250.00		250.00	
Cemeteries	1,000.00	50.00	1,050.00	966.63	83.37	
Town Scales	25.00	40.75	65.75	6.20	59.55	
Town Forest	2,000.00	134.00	2,134.00	1,895.72	238.28	
Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00		100.00	100.00		
New Buildings and Lands	500.00		500.00	497.10	2.90	
New Equipment	1,800.00		1,800.00	1,144.23	655.77	
Payment of Debt Principal	4,200.00		4,200.00	4,200.00		
Payment of Debt Interest	675.00		675.00	450.70	224.30	
Refunds		81.23	81.23	81.23		
Cemetery Lots (Trust Fund)		100.00	100.00	100.00		
Taxes Bought by Town		540.86	540.86	540.86		
Subsequent Taxes		5.39	5.39	5.39		
Temporary Loans		20,000.00	20,000.00	20,000.00		
Head Tax		3,712.50	3,712.50	3,712.50		
School Taxes 57/58		13,000.00	13,000.00	13,000.00		
School Taxes 58/59	114,141.00		114,141.00	97,141.00	17,000.00	
County Taxes	10,783.79		10,783.79	10,783.79		
Timber Tax Debt Retirement		258.05	258.05	258.05		
Unexpended Balance	\$179,055.09			\$199,463.90	\$ 22,878.19	\$ 1,953.02
Overdraft	22,878.19					
	1,953.02					
Net Unexpended Balance	20,925.17					
Less Amount Owed School District	17,000.00					
Less Amount for Water Resources	250.00					
Actual Unexpended Balance	\$ 3,675.17					

**FINANCIAL REPORT**  
**of the**  
**Town of Hollis, N. H. in Hillsborough County**  
**for the Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 1958**

**Balance Sheet**

**ASSETS**

Cash in hands of treasurer	\$ 19,258.62	
Capital Reserve Funds:		
Map Fund	2,252.99	
Unredeemed Taxes:		
Levy of 1958	239.40	
Levy of 1957	112.92	
Uncollected Taxes:		
Levy of 1958	31,742.01	
Levy of 1957	1,208.01	
Levy of 1956	149.68	
Previous Years	224.27	
State Head Taxes—Levy of 1958	895.00	
State Head Taxes—Previous Years	75.00	
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Total Assets		\$ 56,157.90
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Grand Total		\$ 56,157.90
Surplus, December 31, 1957	\$ 24,595.42	
Surplus, December 31, 1958	28,577.27	
Increase of Surplus	3,981.85	

## LIABILITIES

Accounts Owed by the Town:		
Water Study	\$	250.00
Due to State:		
State Head Taxes—1958		
(Uncollected, \$895.00) (Collected—		
not remitted to State Treas. \$373.50)		1,268.50
Yield Tax—Bond & Debt Retirement		
(Uncollected, \$209.14)		209.14
Due to School Districts:		
Balance of Appropriation		17,000.00
Capital Reserve Funds:		2,252.99
Long Term Notes Outstanding:		
Grader payments		6,600.00
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Total Liabilities	\$	27,580.63
Surplus		28,577.27
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Grand Total	\$	56,157.90

## Uniform Classification

### RECEIPTS

Current Revenue:	
From Local Taxes:	
1. Property Taxes—Current Year	\$123,956.34
2. Poll Taxes—Current Year	1,016.00
3. National Bank Stock Taxes—1958	6.00
4. Yield Taxes—1958	433.94
5. State Head Taxes @ \$5.—1958	3,175.00
6. Total Current Year's Taxes	
collected and remitted	\$128,587.28
7. Property Taxes and Yield Taxes—	
Previous Years	27,414.86
8. Poll Taxes—Previous Years	192.00
9. State Head Taxes @ \$5.00—	
Previous Years	645.00
10. Interest received on Taxes	936.26
11. Penalties on State Head Taxes	70.00
12. Tax sales redeemed	522.43

From State:

13.	Head Tax Refund	\$	17.34
	Salt & Gravel		128.90
	Grader Rental		787.27
14.	Interest and dividends tax		3,909.29
15.	Railroad Tax		1.27
16.	Savings Bank Tax and Building and Loan Association Tax		28.04
20.	Fighting forest fires		5.41
22.	Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance		72.81

From Local Sources, Except Taxes

	Eastern States Dividend		3.07
	Map & History Sales		113.75
	Ambulance Service		135.00
	Refund Town Poor		453.40
24.	Dog licenses		713.50
25.	Business licenses, permits and filing fees		20.00
26.	Fines and forfeits, municipal court		525.00
27.	Rent of town property		399.20
28.	Refund Mem. Day & Insurance		52.22
29.	Income from trust funds		482.51
30.	Income from departments		1,247.10
31.	Forest Fire Refunds		540.60
32.	Scales		40.75
33.	Town Forest		1,308.15
	Registration of motor vehicles, 1958, Permits		9,634.67
	Cemetery Lots		150.00
	Pumping Wells		3.00

TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$179,140.08
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Receipts Other than Current Revenue:

34.	Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year	\$	20,000.00
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Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue		\$ 20,000.00
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Total Receipts from All Sources		\$199,140.08
Cash on hand January 1, 1958		19,582.44

This Grand Total		\$218,722.52
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## PAYMENTS

### Current Maintenance Expenses:

#### General Government:

1. Town officer's salaries	\$ 2,144.80
2. Town officer's expenses	1,537.33
3. Election and registration expenses	25.00
4. Municipal court expenses	194.93
5. Expenses town hall & other town buildings	2,957.89

#### Protections of Persons and Property:

6. Police department	2,266.13
8. Fire dept., including forest fires	4,786.96
11. Damage by dogs	457.31
13. Civil Defense	536.33

#### Health:

14. Health dept., including hospitals	63.35
15. Vital statistics	46.00
17. Town dumps and garbage removal	162.50

#### Highways and Bridges:

18. Town Road Aid	1,060.30
19. Town Maintenance	
Summer—\$11,431.84	
Winter—\$5,992.45	17,424.29
20. Street lighting	1,659.66
21. General Expenses of Highway Dept.	2,936.37

#### Libraries:

22. Libraries	1,200.00
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#### Public Welfare:

23. Old age assistance	1,884.79
24. Town poor	2,252.38

#### Patriotic Purposes:

26. Memorial Day & Veteran's Associations	228.62
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#### Recreation:

28. Parks & playgrounds, including band concerts	745.56
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#### Public Service Enterprises:

29. Municipal Scales	6.20
30. Cemeteries, including hearse hire	966.63
31. Town Forest	1,895.72

#### Unclassified:

32. Damage and legal expenses	10.00
33. Advertising and Regional Associations	100.00
34. Taxes bought by town	546.25
35. Discounts, Abatements and Refunds	81.23
36. Payment to State a/c Yield Tax	
Debt Retirement	258.05

Total Current Maintenance Expenses

\$ 48,434.58

Interest:		
38.	Paid on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	207.70
39.	Paid on long term notes	243.00
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	Total Interest Payments	\$ 450.70
Outlay for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements:		
48.	Lands and buildings	497.10
49.	New equipment	1,144.23
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	Total Outlay Payments	\$ 1,641.33
Indebtedness:		
51.	Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	20,000.00
52.	Payments on long term notes	4,200.00
55.	Payments to trustees of trust funds	100.00
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	Total Indebtedness Payments	\$ 24,300.00
Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:		
56.	State Head Taxes paid State Treas.	
	1958 Taxes \$2,801.50	
	Prior Years \$911.00	3,712.50
57.	Taxes paid to County	10,783.79
59.	Payments to School Districts	
	1957 Tax \$13,000	
	1958 Tax \$97,141.00	110,141.00
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	Total Payments to Other Gov't. Divisions	\$124,637.29
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	Total Payments for all Purposes	\$199,463.90
Cash on hand Dec. 31, 1958		\$ 19,258.62
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	Grand Total	\$218,722.52



## SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

### DESCRIPTION

Description	VALUE
1. Town Hall, Lands and Buildings	\$ 50,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	5,000.00
2. Libraries, Lands and Buildings	15,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	2,500.00
3. Police Dept., Lands and Buildings	
Equipment	800.00
4. Fire Department, Lands and Buildings	19,000.00
Equipment	15,000.00
5. Highway Department, Lands and Buildings	3,300.00
Equipment	29,000.00
6. Parks, Commons and Playgrounds	5,000.00
9. Schools, Lands and Buildings	243,000.00
Equipment	20,000.00
11. All lands and buildings acquired through Tax Collector's deeds	500.00
12. All other Property & Equipment: Civil Defense	3,200.00
Total	\$411,300.00

## TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

(January 1, 1958 through December 31, 1958)

### DOG LICENSES

Received for licenses on:

23 1957 licenses	\$ 55.00
159 male dogs	318.00
82 spayed female dogs	164.00
21 female dogs	105.00
4 Kennels (5 dog)	48.00
11 duplicate tags	5.50
Fines	18.00

TOTAL

\$ 713.00

Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treas.

\$ 713.00

### AUTOMOBILE PERMITS

Received for 19 1957 Permits	\$ 49.80
Received for 1141 1958 Permits	9,584.87

TOTAL

\$ 9,634.67

Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treasurer

\$ 9,634.67

Received for Election Filing Fees

\$ 20.00

Paid Milton D. Wright, Town Treas.

\$ 20.00

BERTHA E. DUNCAN,  
Town Clerk



# TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

LEVY 1958

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector

Property Taxes	\$155,505.81
Poll Taxes	1,288.00
National Bank Stock	6.00

Total Warrant

\$156,799.81

Yield Taxes

655.21

Added Taxes

Property Taxes	\$ 192.10
Poll Taxes	8.00
Interest Collected	15.62

\$157,670.74

Cr.

Remittance to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$123,956.34
Poll Taxes	1,016.00
National Bank Stock Taxes	6.00
Yield Taxes	433.94
Interest Collected	15.62

Abatements

Property Taxes	478.83
Poll Taxes	22.00

Uncollected Taxes

Property Taxes	31,262.74
Poll Taxes	258.00
Yield Taxes	221.27

\$157,670.74

I hereby certify that the above list showing amounts due as of December 31, 1958 on account of the levy of 1958 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. RICE  
Tax Collector

## LEVY 1957

Dr.

## Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1958

Property Taxes	\$ 26,252.37
Polls	210.00
Yield	1,790.08

\$ 28,252.45

### Added Property Tax

Polls	12.00
Interest Collected	845.14

\$ 29,218.94

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer

Property Taxes	\$ 26,164.25
Polls	190.00
Yield	793.54
Interest	845.14

## Abatements

Polls	18.00
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Uncollected

Property	197.47
Polls	14.00
Yield	996.54

\$ 29,218.94

I hereby certify that the above list showing amounts due as of December 31, 1958 on account of the levy of 1957 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. RICE

## Tax Collector

# LEVY 1956

## Dr.

### Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1958

Property Tax	\$	262.96	
Poll Tax		4.00	

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\$ 266.96

Added property tax		3.12	
Interest Collected		10.10	

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Total	\$	280.18
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## Cr.

### Remitted to Treasurer

Property Tax	\$	118.40	
Poll Tax		2.00	
Interest Collected		10.10	

### Uncollected Taxes

Property		147.68	
Polls		2.00	

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Total	\$	280.18
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# LEVY 1955

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes		
Property	\$	233.45
Polls		2.00
Yield Tax		37.01
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Total	\$	272.46
Interest Collected		29.64
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	\$	302.10

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer		
Property	\$	189.07
Interest		29.64
Uncollected Property		44.38
Polls		2.00
Yield Tax		37.01
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Total	\$	302.10

I hereby certify that the above lists showing the amounts due as of December 31, 1958, on account of tax levies 1955, 1956 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. RICE

Tax Collector

# LEVY 1954

Dr.

Uncollected Property Tax	\$	203.89	
Poll Tax		2.00	
	\$	205.89	
Interest Collected		35.76	
			\$ 241.65

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer			
Property Tax	\$	149.60	
Interest Collected		35.76	
Uncollected Property		54.29	
Poll		2.00	
			\$ 241.65

# LEVY 1953

Uncollected Property	\$	90.59
Poll		2.00

# LEVY 1950

Uncollected Poll Tax	\$	2.00
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I hereby certify that the above list showing the amounts due as of December 31, 1958 on account of the Levies 1954, 1953, 1950, is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. RICE

Tax Collector

## Summary of Tax Sales Accounts as of December 31, 1958

Dr.

	Tax Sale on account of Levies		
	1957	1956	1954
Taxes sold to Town during Current Fiscal Year	\$489.00		
Balance Unredeemed Taxes		\$200.97	\$ 36.66
Interest collected after Sale	37.29	2.17	4.06
Redemption Costs	14.60		
	<hr/> \$540.89	<hr/> \$203.14	<hr/> \$ 40.72

Cr.

Remitted to Treasurer	\$301.49	\$ 90.22	\$ 40.72
Unredeemed Taxes at close of year	239.40	112.92	
	<hr/> \$540.89	<hr/> \$203.14	<hr/> \$ 40.72

### SUBSEQUENT TAXES REDEEMED

Levy of 1957—paid to Treasurer	\$ 88.14
Interest	1.86
	<hr/> \$ 90.00

I hereby certify that the above lists showing amount due as of December 31, 1958 on account of tax levies 1957 - 1956 - 1954 is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EVELYN B. RICE

Tax Collector

## Summary of Warrant

### STATE HEAD TAX

#### LEVY OF 1958

Dr.

State Head Taxes Committed to Collector

Original Warrant	\$ 4,100.00
Added Taxes	25.00
Penalties Collected	5.50

Total Commitment \$ 4,130.00

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer

Head Taxes	\$ 3,175.00
Penalty	5.50
Abatements	55.00
Uncollected Taxes	895.00

Total Credits \$ 4,130.00

#### LEVY 1957

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes	\$ 685.00
Added Taxes	50.00
Penalties Collected	64.00

Total \$ 799.00

Cr.

Remittances	\$ 640.00
Penalties Collected	64.00
Abatements	50.00
Uncollected	45.00

Total Credits \$ 799.00

# HEAD TAX REPORT

## LEVY 1956

Uncollected	\$	15.00	
Penalty collected		.50	
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			\$ 15.50

## Cr.

Remittances	\$	5.00	
Penalty		.50	
Uncollected		10.00	
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Total Credits			\$ 15.50

## LEVY 1955

Uncollected	\$	10.00
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## LEVY 1954

Uncollected	\$	5.00
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## LEVY 1953

Uncollected	\$5.00
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## TOWN TREASURERS REPORT

Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1958	\$ 19,582.44
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Receipts:

Evelyn B. Rice, Tax Collector	158,367.83
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Bertha Duncan, Town Clerk

Auto Permits	9,634.67
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Dog Licenses	713.50
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Filing Fees	20.00
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State of N. H.	3.909.29
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Int. & Dividend taxes	28.04
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Savings Bank Tax	1.27
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Railroad Tax	7.50
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Head Tax Refund	5.41
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Forest Fires 17.34

Head tax expenses

Recovery on O. A. Assistance	57.81
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W. Hayden	15.00
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Ruth Wood	70.27
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Carrie Binder	709.50
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Use of Grader	82.50
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Gravel	46.40
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## Rock Salt

Indian Head Bank Note	20,000.00
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Clancy &amp; O'Neill

Forest Fires	540.60
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## Trustees of Trust Funds

Dana Goodwin

Perpetual care Cemetery Fund	416.67
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Nichols Fund	65.84
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M. McGilvary

Rent from Town Hall	223.00
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Lorden Lumber Co.

Sale of Town Lumber	1,174.15
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U. S. Treasury

A. C. P. Town Forest	134.00
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Hollis Municipal Court	525.00
David Goodwin, Town Scales	40.75
Town of Brookline, N. H.	
Use of grader	178.50
Whitcomb Construction Co.,	
Use of grader	136.00
Ambulance Service	
Kenneth Bennett	15.00
Marion Chandler	15.00
Frank Walters	15.00
Charlotte Gallatty	15.00
Katherine Sanders	15.00
Irene Boulton	15.00
Wm. Sanders	15.00
Edna Hill	15.00
Edward Lievens	15.00
Sale of Town Maps	
Gabriel Bros.	42.50
David Goodwin	63.75
Cash	3.00
Refunds	
Henry Hills—Memorial Day	24.71
Floyd Colby—Town Aid	31.40
Clark Insurance	27.51
Roberta Dudley	
Care of children	422.00
E. S. Farmers Exchange, Dividend	3.07
Hollis Kindergarten	
School Rent of Town Hall	171.20
Warren Towne, Pumping out wells	1.00
M. McGilvary Pumping out wells	2.00
Mrs. Lawrence Morrison, Town Hist.	4.50
Mrs. Robert Hopkins, use of chairs	5.00
Congregational Church, removal of trees	97.40
Harry Bell, cemetery lot	30.00
Daniel Brocklebank, cemetery lot	20.00
Marion Chandler, Perpetual care	
cemetery lot	100.00
Work on driveways	
Joseph Archambault	32.50
Bert Duncan	25.00
Herman Stickney	10.00
W. L. Carter	226.30
E. R. Simonds	80.65

J. P. Smith	48.30	
Hollis School District	412.45	
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		\$199,140.08
Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1958		19,582.44
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		\$218,722.52
Total Payments		199,463.90
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Cash on hand Jan. 1, 1959		\$ 19,258.62

M. D. WRIGHT

Town Treasurer

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS SALARIES

Gordon McEnnis	\$ 25.00
H. C. Manning	25.00
Milton D. Wright	225.00
Harold Farnum	250.00
Edward Lievens	250.00
Roscoe Brown	300.00
Bertha Duncan	639.47
Evelyn B. Rice	405.33
Warren Towne, Fire Chief	25.00

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\$ 2,144.80

### TOWN OFFICERS EXPENSES

Brown & Saltmarsh	\$ 31.82
Association of N. H. Assessors	3.00
Clark Insurance Agency	243.95
Edson C. Eastman Co.	78.60
Hollis Telephone Co.	.60
Beryl R. Orde	134.50
H. C. Manning	6.70
Artcraft Stationery Co.	51.10
Maxfield Press	425.00
Florence Brown	11.50
Donat Corriveau	35.73
C. Edward Bourasse	.50
N. H. Bindery	25.96
The Lawyer's Co-op. Pub. Co.	15.00
N. H. Town Clerks' Asso.	3.00
N. H. Tax Collectors Asso.	3.00
Wheeler & Clark	20.20
Second Nat. Bank	3.00
Nashua Tel. Pub. Co.	5.00
State of N. H.	1.00
Helen Bell	9.61
Sargent Bros.	23.00
Branham Pub. Co.	9.00
Henry Hildreth	180.00
Milton D. Wright	35.75
Harold Farnum	20.00
Roscoe Brown	20.00
Evelyn Rice	90.33
Bertha Duncan	50.48

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\$ 1,537.33

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

Evelyn Rice	\$ 20.00	
Michael McGilvary	5.00	
		\$ 25.00

## MUNICIPAL COURT

Denton Lates	\$ 150.00	
Maxwell Press	22.93	
Rae S. Laraba	22.00	
		\$ 194.93

## TOWN HALL AND OTHER BUILDINGS

Michael McGilvary	\$ 170.25	
Daniel Goodwin	47.63	
Clark Insurance Agency	554.04	
Public Service Co.	260.73	
Philip Morris Co.	1.89	
C. L. Haskell	125.00	
Lorden Oil Co.	1,254.95	
Louis Shattuck	1.65	
Johnson Electric Co.	24.51	
Osgood's	19.67	
Paul Saunders	4.00	
J. P. Smith	17.75	
Wrenn Gas	23.00	
Wm. L. Nutting Co.	21.00	
Hollis Telephone Co.	2.30	
Lawrence Reed	2.75	
D. F. Munroe	47.52	
Gabriel Bros.	58.56	
Nashua Supply Co.	17.68	
Indian Head Plate Glass Co.	3.25	
Wright Bros.	5.76	
Dionne Bros.	294.00	
		\$ 2,957.89

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

Rheta McGilvary	\$ 802.72
Hollis Telephone Co.	109.80
Phillip Morris Co.	4.30
Artcraft Stationery Co.	14.50
Goulet Printing Co.	40.00
George Howland	20.00
Wirthmore Co.	8.00
Kenney & McAdams	60.61
M. Luishey Bros.	18.50
Public Service Co.	16.20
Elmer Neary	125.50
Harold King, Jr.	523.50
Wm. Lassins	86.00
Chas. Dow	126.00
Kenneth Bennett	130.50
Nashua Police Department (Ambulance)	180.00

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\$ 2,266.13

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

Rheta McGilvary	\$ 908.52
Edward G. Moody & Son	74.20
Clark Insurance Agency	537.98
Hollis Auto Service	65.00
William Sprowle	200.00
Wright Bros.	1.80
State Treasurer	270.30
James A. Coffin	1,321.18
Motor Service	1.88
Nelson Parkhurst	38.76
Chas. Dow	9.58
Nashua Supply	.93
Geo. Howland	19.92
MacLeod Co.	3.80
Gamewell Co.	43.80
Greenleaf Motor Parts	24.76
Earl Wright	85.00
Warren Towne	93.00
Geo. Howland, payroll	800.00
Hollis Telephone Co.	282.85
Daniel Goodwin	3.70

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\$ 4,786.96

### CIVIL DEFENSE

Evans Radio Co.	\$	35.08	
Am. Em. & Textile Co.		20.64	
American Red Cross		33.00	
Treas. State of N. H.		440.77	
E. R. Simonds		6.84	
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	\$		536.33

### HEALTH DEPARTMENT

E. R. Simonds	\$	51.35	
Hanson Signs		12.00	
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	\$		63.35

### VITAL STATISTICS

Bertha Duncan	\$	46.00
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### TOWN DUMP

Chas. Kibby	\$	33.75	
Paul Sedlewicz		33.75	
Chas. Dow		41.70	
C. B. Spaulding		16.80	
Maurice Marvell		34.00	
Kenneth Towne		2.50	
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	\$		162.50

## SUMMER ROADS

Motor Service & Supply Co.	\$ 22.74
Ralph Dudley	74.00
Wright Bros.	32.16
Kenneth Marvell	28.00
Roger Stearns	60.00
James Quadros	8.00
Russell Covey	76.00
Lyle Covey	16.00
Samuel Spence	169.00
A. Grunale	52.50
Carroll Spaulding	7.50
Penn Culvert Co.	88.69
Hume Pipe Co.	304.78
C. B. Spaulding	74.80
D. H. Goodwin	1.64
Lorden Oil Co.	166.25
Hollis Auto Co.	8.41
Osgood's	8.64
Alton Seager	163.75
Paul Sedlewicz	352.50
Maurice Marvell	1,615.08
Joseph Surwell	314.00
Roy Wilkins	358.75
Ed. Lievens	217.00
Chas. Kibby	439.95
Chas. Dow	2,911.10
Fred Congreve	58.00
Wm. Quinton	171.25
Kenneth Towne	37.50
Floyd Sweetnam	58.00
Wm. Sweetnam	126.00
Austin Parkhurst	497.50
Rock Asphalt Co.	2,633.05
Irene Boulton	125.30
Wm. Bedders	100.00
Joseph Fay, Jr.	54.00

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\$ 11,431.84



## WINTER ROADS

Maurice Marvell	\$ 828.90
Lyle Covey	259.87
Carroll Spaulding	92.75
William Quinton	46.25
Joseph Surwell	123.00
Ed. Lievens	752.37
Paul Saunders	13.00
Austin Parkhurst	836.75
Fred Congreve	39.00
Kenneth Towne	332.00
James Wargo	4.00
Charles Dow	1,729.30
Samuel Spence	280.00
Charles Kibby	27.50
Glenn Staveley	18.00
David Wright	8.00
Harold King	36.00
Alan Orde, Jr.	28.00
Elwin Hardy	8.00
Lawrence Lingley	10.00
Paul Sedlewicz	22.50
International Salt	497.26
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	\$ 5,992.45

## STREET LIGHTING

Public Service Co. of N. H.	\$ 1,659.66
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## GENERAL EXPENSES OF HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

Scott Machine Co.	\$ 1,157.07	
George Therrien	156.13	
Lorden Oil Co.	176.75	
Mingolla Machine Co. Inc	47.00	
Motor Service & Supply Co.	155.49	
Hollis Telephone Co.	80.70	
Maurice Marvell	105.00	
Gans Surplus Tire Co.	75.00	
Edgecomb Steel Co.	9.60	
Osgood's	22.82	
Dyer Sales & Machine Co.	106.50	
Public Service Co. of N. H.	25.07	
Clark Insurance Co.	556.30	
N. H. Explosive Co.	45.23	
Hollis Auto Service	32.85	
Donel Supply Co.	18.00	
Law & Ingham Trans. Co.	9.75	
E. E. Nadeau & Son	73.70	
Daniel Goodwin	16.03	
Goodyear Service Store	2.25	
Johnson Elec. Co.	10.48	
J. Therrien, Inc.	42.50	
Nashua Battery	3.40	
Ed. Moody & Son	8.75	
		\$ 2,936.37

## LIBRARIES

Hollis Social Library	\$ 988.91	
Clark Insurance Agency	211.09	
		\$ 1,200.00

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

State of New Hampshire	\$ 1,884.79
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# TOWN POOR

Lionelle Berube	\$	17.00	
Berg's Shoe Store		19.90	
Ed. Lievens		20.00	
Bemis Bag		13.20	
Stratford Credit Co.		236.28	
Daniel Goodwin		377.72	
M. A. C. Finance Co.		20.00	
Tules Pharmacy		104.30	
Oscar Crooker		64.00	
Jack Eida		204.00	
St. Joseph's Hospital, Lowell		323.00	
Bargain Outlet		11.40	
J. P. Smith		38.00	
Gabriel Bros.		30.00	
Flora Hardy		6.00	
Lorden Oil Co.		64.00	
Annie Quigley		220.00	
Rose Ouellette		12.00	
Aurore Lavoie		139.00	
Public Service Co.		6.13	
Hillsboro County		177.00	
			\$ 2,102.93
Albert F. Quay	\$	45.00	
Moore General Hospital		104.45	
			\$ 149.45
			\$ 2,252.38

# MEMORIAL DAY

Henry Hills, Treasurer	\$	226.62	
Michael McGilvary		2.00	
			\$ 228.62

## RECREATION PARKS & PLAYGROUNDS

Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	\$ 194.96
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.	38.75
Ed. Chamberlain	8.75
Ernest Marvell	25.90
James Lingley	5.00
John Webster	6.30
Paul Saunders	6.00
John Lupien	1.40
Russell Covey	5.60
Raymond Covey	3.75
Robert Cudworth	3.00
Ronald Boucher	9.00
Robert Kibby	15.10
Lyle Covey	10.00
Maurice Marvell	101.50
Roscoe Brown	20.00
Freshman Class—H. H. S.	15.00
Wright Bros.	3.20
J. P. Smith	34.00
Osgood's	27.78
Daniel Goodwin	8.61
Gabriel Bros.	1.96
Hollis Church School Band	200.00

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\$ 745.56

## TOWN FOREST

Howard Parkhurst	\$ 955.52
Milton Glover	451.80
Charles Morgan	30.00
J. P. Smith	360.00
Henry Hildreth	98.40

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\$ 1,895.72

## CEMETERIES

Paul Saunders	\$ 9.00
John Webster	5.60
Ralph Dudley	2.00
Paul Webster	5.60
John Lupien	7.00
Samuel Spence	15.00
Kenneth Marvell, Sr.	308.45
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.	114.65
Ed. Chamberlain	11.25
Raymond Covey	2.25
Russell Covey	15.40
James Lingley	7.00
Robert Kibby	45.50
Ernest Marvell	92.80
Maurice Marvell	64.50
Glenn Staveley	8.00
Roy Wilkins	10.50
Charles Dow	18.40
Austin Parkhurst	9.13
Nashua Elec. Eng. Co.	7.00
Harold Hardy	4.00
Wright Bros.	16.25
Daniel Goodwin	54.92
Fernard Petry	2.50
E. Chester Wilson	67.60
R. E. Jarvis Co.	4.20
Hollis Auto Service	32.28
Nancy Brown	2.10
Robert Gould	23.75
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	\$ 966.63

## DAMAGES & LEGAL EXPENSE, INC. DOG DAMAGE

Wheeler & Clark	\$ 16.31
Robert Kenny	230.00
Sullivan & Gregg	10.00
Lynwood Lund	55.00
Bertha Duncan	156.00
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	\$ 467.31

## ADVERTISING & REGIONAL ASSOCIATION

Merrimac Valley Regional Assoc. 1958	\$	100.00
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### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

Evelyn B. Rice	\$	540.86
Subsequent Taxes		5.39
		\$ 546.25

### REFUNDS

E. S. Butterfield	\$	50.61
Stafford Hill		30.62
		\$ 81.23

### MISCELLANEOUS—TOWN SCALES, PERPETUAL CARE, CEMETERY MAPS

Daniel Goodwin—Town scales	\$	6.20
Treas. Trust Funds		100.00
Kenneth Marvell, Cem. map		20.00
Robert Gould, Cem. Map		69.00
		\$ 195.20

### INTEREST

Indian Head National Bank	\$	450.70
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### NEW LAND & BUILDINGS & EQUIPMENT

Philip Morris Co., Office equipment	\$	110.70
N. H. Explosive & Machine Co. Hyd. pumps		270.16
Mingolla Machine Co. Inc., Snow plow		590.00
Sears Roebuck Co., Grinder		72.95
Ray Road Equipment Co., Sweepers		100.42
New Cemetery		
Austin Parkhurst		39.00
Gaylord Price		23.00
Wright Bros.		10.40
Kenneth Marvell, Sr.		47.80
Charles Dow		28.80
Maurice Marvell		84.80
Ed Lievens		28.80
Roy Wilkins		7.50
Charles Morgan		120.00
Charles Kibby		10.00
Lyle Covey		4.50
Kenneth Marvell, Jr.		3.50
		\$ 1,552.33

# TEMPORARY LOANS

Indian Head National Bank	\$ 20,000.00
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# BONDS, NOTES & TERM NOTES

Indian Head National Bank	\$ 4,200.00
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# STATE & COUNTY

Hillsborough County Treas.	\$ 10,783.79	
State of New Hampshire	2,394.85	
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# HEAD TAX

State Treasurer	\$ 2,636.00
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# SCHOOL DISTRICT

Hollis School District	\$110,141.00
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TOTAL PAYMENTS	<hr/> \$199,463.90
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# REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HOLLIS ON DECEMBER 31, 1958

Date of Creation	NAME OF TRUST FUND	HOW INVESTED	Principal Balance Beginning of Year	Principal Balance End of Year	Income Balance Beginning of Year	Income During Year	Expended During Year	Income Balance End of Year
<b>SUPPORT OF HOLLIS HIGH SCHOOL</b>								
1878	Mary S. Farley, legacy	Common Trust	\$ 9,549.04	\$	\$	364.60	\$	\$
1884	Samuel T. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	1,182.10			46.02		
1916	Lucy E. Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	555.40			21.62		
1916	Sarah Alice Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	555.40			21.62		
1917	Franklin Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	25,686.72			986.45		
1932	Clara E. Cutter, legacy	Common Trust	500.00			19.47		
1944	Emma F. Vandyke, legacy	Common Trust	3,000.00			114.65		
1956	Mary F. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00			77.87		
1957	Henry A. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00			77.10		
	Total of High School Funds		\$45,028.66	\$	\$	1,729.40	\$	1,729.40
<b>HELP NEEDED, POOR</b>								
1906	Jesse Rideout, legacy	Common Trust	\$ 559.50			21.79		
1934	Delia M. Smith, legacy	Common Trust	100.00			3.89		
1951	Charles H. Farley, memorial	Common Trust	1,000.00			38.93		
	Total of Welfare Funds		\$ 1,659.50	\$	\$	223.06	\$	64.61
								\$ 287.68



# PERPETUAL CARE CEMETERY LOTS

1894-1957	136 legacies and gifts	Common Trust (New Fund Created)	\$14,639.50 \$	628.94	562.78	412.99	778.73
1958	3 legacies and gifts		(330.00)* 14,969.50				
	NOT SPECIFIED						
1956	Elizabeth Proctor, legacy	Common Trust	6,862.64	223.07	263.82		486.89
	CARE OF PUBLIC SQUARE						
1929	Charles J. Nichols, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00	42.37	77.87		120.24
	SUPPORT OF						
	HOLLIS SOCIAL LIBRARY						
1917	Sarah Alice Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	\$ 277.70 \$		10.81		
1917	Franklin Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	5,075.00		192.56		
1918	Charles M. Stratton, gift	Common Trust	100.00		3.89		
1927	Lillian Worcester, legacy	Common Trust	361.72		14.08		
1931	John H. and Susan Pool Cutter, memorial	Common Trust	160.00		6.23		
1932	Clara E. Cutter, legacy	Common Trust	500.00		19.47		
1939	Joseph B. Parker, legacy	Common Trust	500.00		19.47		
1941	Emma Vandyke, legacy	Common Trust	3,000.00		114.65		
1950	Ruth C. Goodwin, legacy	Common Trust	500.00		19.47		
1955	Silas M. Spaulding, legacy	Common Trust	300.00		11.68		
1956	Mary F. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	1,000.00		38.93		
1957	Henry A. Wilson, legacy	Common Trust	2,000.00		77.10		
Total Library Funds			\$13,774.42 \$	\$ 528.34 \$	400.00 \$	128.34	
Total Trust Funds			\$38,964.72	\$ 1,117.44 \$	3,226.82 \$		\$ 1,801.87
*New Funds Created			\$ 330.00				
HOLLIS CAPITAL RESERVE FUND							
1944	Town Map		\$ 1,500.00	\$ 676.16 \$	76.83 \$		\$ 752.99

# AUDITOR'S REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS

## TOWN OF HOLLIS, N. H.

Merrimack County Savings Bank	\$ 549.04
New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,000.00
Manchester Savings Bank	14,274.42
Second National Bank	5,557.88

BONDS	PAR VALUE
U. S. Treasury Bonds Series G.—2½ %	4,000.00
U. S. Treasury Bonds 3¼ %	26,000.00
American Tel. & Tel.—1985—4⅜ %	5,000.00
Pacific Gas & Electric—1986—4½ %	5,000.00
Public Service Co. of Oklahoma—1987—4¼ %	5,000.00

STOCKS	NO. OF SHARES
American Tel. & Tel.	10
Commonwealth Edison Co.	102
Eaton Mfg. Co.	50
General Motors Corp.	40
Guaranty Trust Co.	28
National Biscuit Co.	100
J. C. Penney Co.	30
Square D Co.	51
Standard Oil Co. of California	30

### CAPITAL RESERVE FUND

Amoskeag Savings Bank	\$ 2,252.99
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The above schedule is a list, in total of Stocks and Bonds held in a Safe Deposit Box, and money on deposit in various Banks as of December 31, 1958.

H. C. MANNING  
G. F. McENNIS

Auditors

# REPORT OF THE COMMON TRUST FUND INVESTMENT OF THE TOWN OF HOLLIS ON DECEMBER 31, 1958

No. of Shares or Other Units	HOW INVESTED				
	Principal Balance Beginning of Year	Principal Proceeds From Sales	Princ. Gains or (Losses) from Sales	Principal Balance End of Year	Income During Year
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Merrimack Co. Savings Bank	549.04			549.04	19.22
New Hampshire Savings Bank	1,000.00			1,000.00	35.00
Manchester Savings Bank	14,274.42			14,274.42	499.60
U. S. Series "G" Bonds, 2½ %	4,000.00			4,000.00	81.25
U. S. Treasury Bonds, 3¼ %	26,000.00			26,000.00	845.00
Am. Tel. & Tel., capital	1,788.60			1,759.15	90.00
Am. Tel. & Tel., capital		29.00	(45)		
Standard Oil of California, common	1,392.60			1,392.60	60.00
General Motors Corp., common	1,632.16			1,632.16	80.00
Am. Tel. & Tel., Bonds 4 3/8 1985	5,017.50			5,017.50	218.75
Commonwealth Edison, common	4,052.81			4,052.81	200.00
Pub. Ser. Co. of Oklahoma, Bonds 4½ s 1987	5,006.55			5,006.55	212.50
National Biscuit Co.	3,889.25			3,889.25	220.00
J. C. Penny Co., common	2,476.03			2,476.03	127.50
Guaranty Trust Co. of N. Y.	1,886.62			1,886.62	112.00
Square D Co., common	1,799.18			1,799.18	51.00
Eaton Mfg. Co., common	2,818.50			2,818.50	150.00
Pacific Gas & Electric Co., Bonds 4½ s 1986	5,013.85			5,013.85	225.00
Checking Account, not invested	1,367.61			1,726.61	
Totals	\$83,964.72	\$ 29.00	\$Losses (45)	\$84,294.27	\$ 3,226.82

# LIBRARY REPORT

## CIRCULATION

Adult Fiction	2470
Adult Non Fiction	1170
Magazines	1493
Jr. Fiction	2024
Jr. Non Fiction	401
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Total	7558
Library open 101 days.	
Books Purchased	160
Books Donated	13

LILLIAN H. MOURISON

Librarian

## TREASURER'S REPORT

### HOLLIS SOCIAL LIBRARY

#### RECEIPTS

Balance in Bank, January 1, 1958	\$	354.69
Town Appropriation Received		988.91
Trust Funds		100.00
Books and Magazines Sold		67.85
Gifts for Purchase of Books		20.00
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	\$	1,531.45

#### EXPENDITURES

Books	\$	315.28
Magazines		133.95
Salaries		575.00
Lights		66.05
Supplies		27.83
Repairs		35.30
Fuel		257.24
Janitor		115.00
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	\$	1,525.65
Balance on Hand December 31, 1958		5.80
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	\$	1,531.45

G. F. McENNIS

Treasurer

## HEALTH OFFICER'S REPORT

As the years move forward, so does the growth and progress of our town and each department in the operation and maintenance of our local government. Growth, not only in our town but in our entire area, has forced us to make and enforce new regulations regarding the health and sanitation of our town. We hope you will read these regulations and abide by them, which will not only lessen the Health Department duties, but will lessen the operating expense. If you will report any violations of the local or State Health laws promptly, it will help us help you keep your town clean.

Mr. J. E. Terrell of Groton Rd., Nashua, will continue the garbage collection for anyone desiring his services. He will collect on Tuesdays and Saturdays from the first of May until the first of November and from the first of November to the first of May on Saturdays only, at 75 cents per month payable quarterly in advance. Call TU 3-8047.

Healthfully yours,

ERVING R. SIMONDS

Health Officer

### NEW LOCAL REGULATIONS FOR THE TOWN OF HOLLIS REGARDING THE DISPOSAL OF REFUSE. TOWN DUMP REGULATIONS

If a person shall place, leave or cause to be placed or left in the Hollis Town Dump any animal or other substance liable to become putrid or offensive or injurious to the public health, or deposits of garbage, they shall be fined not less than \$25.00 and the health officer shall remove or cause to have removed the same.

ONLY authorized persons may enter or pick the Hollis Town Dump. Permits obtained from the Local Health Officer. Any unauthorized person found trespassing within the limits of the Hollis Town Dump during hours the Dump is legally closed, shall be prosecuted according to law.

### LOCAL ORDINANCE REGARDING DISPOSAL OF REFUSE

If a person shall place, leave or cause to be left, in or near a highway, street, public place or premises not designated as public dumping facilities, any rubbish, refuse, garbage or offensive matter, they shall be fined not less than \$25.00 and the health officer shall remove or cause to have removed the same.

Providing that nothing herein shall be construed as affecting authorized collections of garbage and refuse.

### NOTICE OF TOWN DUMP

On and after April 1, 1959 the Hollis Town Dump, located on Rocky Pond Road, will be open to the public on Saturdays and Sundays from 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m. ONLY.

PER ORDER, The HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Hollis

ERVING R. SIMONDS

Health Officer

### REPORT OF STATE NURSE

A series of Immunization Clinics was held in the Church Hall, at Hollis, N. H. during the months of June, July and August, sponsored by the Federation of Women's Clubs, under the direction of the State Department of Health.

Immunization against Polio was furnished with Salk Vaccine; triple toxoid furnished protection against Whooping Cough, diphtheria and tetanus; and small pox vaccine furnished immunization against small pox for all pre-school children attending the clinic.

Mrs. Frances Bell, president, and Mrs. Viola Broklebank, chairman of the health project, Mrs. Dorothy Twichell, Mrs. Carolyn Wright, Mrs. Evelyn Rice, Mrs. Alan Orde of the Federation, assisted at the clinics.

Mrs. Betty Muzzey, R. N., Mrs. Martha Spaulding, R. N., Mrs. Marion Hanson, R. N., assisted Doctor Alexander Law, school doctor and Doctor Oscar Burus in giving inoculations.

The Federation has made sponsoring of Child Health projects one of their aims for the past several years.

MARIE H. FAHEY, R. N.

State Nurse

## CIVIL DEFENSE REPORT

While Civil Defense expenses have been held to a minimum this year, we have accomplished a great deal of progress within our organization, as is necessary due to the rapid changes in the methods of possible attacks.

Last Fall we held a class on First Aid Instruction at the lower town hall, which was open to any adult interested in the course. There were 26 men and women completing the course and receiving qualifying First Aid Cards, which, in addition to those already holding such cards, gives our town excellent coverage for qualified help in any emergency or disaster.

In January, 1959, we sponsored a radiological school in the lower town hall, which was open to anyone interested. Twenty-two men and women completed the course and received qualifying certificates to operate radiological detective equipment. The State and Federal government has furnished us with this equipment at no cost to the town.

We do appreciate the cooperation of the townspeople and while we do not appear to be very active, we do need an organization ready to meet and cope with any emergency or disaster.

Help Us To Help You.

### KEEP THIS EMERGENCY LIST BY YOUR TELEPHONE

Constant 24 hour service through the Courtesy of Rita McGilvary.

#### PHONE:

FOR FIRE DIAL	HO 5-2211
FOR POLICE	HO 5-2233
FOR CIVIL DEFENSE	HO 5-2296
FOR ANY EMERGENCY USE THIS	
CIVIL DEFENSE ROSTER	

Director—Erving Simonds	HO 5-2296
Assistant Director—George Burton	HO 5-2378
Headquarters—Fire Station	HO 5-2208

#### UNIT HEADS

Administrative—Norma Morison	HO 5-2389
Helen Lates	HO 5-2404
Air Raid Warden—Elwin Hardy	HO 5-2244
Wendell Wright	HO 5-2417
Boy Scouts—Bruce Reed	HO 5-2445
Communication—George Howland	HO 5-2495



Firefighting—Warren Towne	HO 5-2212
Medical Nursing—Maxine Lassins	HO 5-2580
Marion Hanson	HO 5-2451
Police—Harold King, Jr.	HO 5-2297
Elmer Neary	HO 5-2415
Refugee—Carol Wright	HO 5-2417
Alice Simonds	HO 5-2296
Rescue and Evacuation—Howitt Warren	HO 5-2348
William Lassins	HO 5-2580
Schools—David Wade	HO 5-2269
Mrs. Denault	HO 5-2260
Transportation—Frank Whittemore	HO 5-2242
Refugee Feeding—Hazel Parkhurst	HO 5-2439
First Aid—Royden Helsing	HO 5-2457
Ralph Hardy	HO 5-2462

HELP US TO HELP YOU KNOW

YOUR LOCAL WARDEN

E. R. SIMONDS

Local Director Civil Defense

## REPORT OF THE HOLLIS POLICE DEPARTMENT

Calls and Complaints	341
Abandoned cars	5
Accidents, personal and property damage	28
Accidents, fatal	0
Animals loose	11
Assault and Battery	5
AWOL from service	1
AWOL picked up	1
Breaking and Entering	14
Committed to State Penal Institutions	3
Complaints on speeders	36
Disturbing the peace	6
Drunkenness	9
Family disputes	16
Fugitive complaints	5
Hit and Run	3
Investigate stolen property	19



Investigate with State Police	9
Investigate with Sheriff's Dept.	2
Investigate with other Dept.	13
Investigate for other Dept.	9
Juvenile complaints	15
Larceny	10
Lost Persons	1
Malicious damage	4
Misuse of Firearms	2
Misuse of Motor Vehicle	4
Prowlers	7
Stolen Car	1
Served summons for other Depts.	19
Suspicious persons picked up	14
Speedboats on Silver Lake	1
Trespassing	11
Others	56
Total	<hr/> 341

As the Hollis Municipal Court finishes its first year we have found that it has proved a very good thing as far as the work of the Police Department is concerned. The court has disposed of cases that otherwise might have gone unnoticed. The court has been open to anybody who wished to be a spectator, except in juvenile cases, giving people a chance to see just how a court operates. Judge Lates has done a very good job in his first year as justice. The job of being judge in a small town in which everybody knows one another is difficult. It is not very easy to impose a fine or sentence on a person you know well. This has been done by Judge Lates without being partial towards one party or another. The Police Department is very grateful to Judge Lates for the help that he has given to us in the past year.

As each year passes there is an ever increasing number of calls to make, domestic as well as criminal, which brings the Police Department to know the people in town better. Also, there are an ever increasing number of calls to assist and investigate with other Police Depts. bringing us in closer harmony to our neighboring towns.

We have found very good use for the equipment bought in 1957 and have used it to good advantage. There was no money spent for extra equipment, except uniforms this year, feeling that we had enough for our needs for the present.

We have had regular patrols in the summer, feeling that if a police officer is known to be on duty, it is very unlikely that any trouble will start, except under extra-ordinary conditions. In a town such as Hollis that is between large cities and towns it is very likely that any number of persons with various ideas might be driving through. We feel that if a police officer is seen on duty these persons will keep right on going.

Any suggestions that the people of the town have that might help the Police Department, we would gladly accept. Feel free to call the Police Dept. at any time that you feel we might help. The number is HO 5-2233.

Respectfully submitted,

HAROLD C. KING, JR.

Chief of Police

## HOLLIS MUNICIPAL COURT

The first year of the Hollis Municipal Court has been a reasonably active one. Starting with our first session on May 6th, 1958, we have processed a total of 90 cases in 32 separate court sessions.

Court has been held regularly in the Fire Station on Tuesday evenings with an occasional special session as the occasion demanded.

As might be expected, the cases consisted largely of traffic violations, although there were a few complaints such as drunkenness, assault, trespassing and fish and game violations. Because their court is currently inactive, several of the cases were brought to us by the Brookline police.

The court wishes to express its thanks and appreciation to Mr. Rae Laraba, Secretary of the State Judicial Council, for his help and guidance in our first year.

Ae detailed report follows:

Total number of cases disposed of		90
Total amount of fines collected		\$1,145.00
Total amount of fines paid to State	\$ 531.00	
Witness fees and travel expense	34.40	
Other expenses	29.07	
Total amount paid to Town Treasurer	525.00	
Bal. of cash on hand in Court	25.53	
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Total disbursements		\$1,145.00

Respectfully submitted,

DENTON V. LATES

Justice

## REPORT OF THE FIRE CHIEF FOR 1958

Once again our fire calls are at a low normal number, a total of 28. 10 chimney fires is the highest number for several years, 2 electrical short circuits, 2 flooded oil burners, 1 town dump, 5 grass or brush fires, 1 car fire and 1 truck fire, 1 drowning call, 1 aid to Dunstable and 1 aid to Pepperell, and 2 building fires.

The Red Phone System continues to be heavily used, a total of 228 calls. 70 calls were emergency reports and 97 were for information, mostly on Fire Department business, 60 calls were wrong numbers or no one on the line, and one child playing with the telephone.

Our first building fires in three years resulted in the complete loss of two houses which were completely afire before discovery. The High School fire was serious but was checked before any serious damage occurred. The damage could have been much less had a report of the lightning strike been made to responsible parties so that an immediate and thorough examination could have been made. Anyone having lightning hit their building or having suspicious smoke or smell of smoke should make a very thorough examination at once. The Fire Department is always ready to assist at any time. Such examination may save a serious tragedy to those concerned.

May I ask that everyone be extremely careful with outdoor rubbish incinerators and other outdoor fires as they are a growing cause of fire damage.

Because of the serious Chicago School Fire an inspection was made of the School Buildings and other Town Buildings. The Elementary School, being of modern construction, is well managed and in excellent condition. The High School Building is old type flammable construction but that part used by the School presents no extreme fire hazard to the pupils. The management and condition of the School Area is good. Minor flaws were found and have been corrected. The other Town Buildings are in good condition and need only minor corrections. The great outstanding feature of all public buildings is the lack of a fire detection alarm system, especially since these buildings have no care or supervision only as they are in use. I hope that these conditions may be remedied as soon as possible as the cost is small compared to the value of the buildings. A small fire can be well fought but there is not water enough around the center to put out a fire in any large building once it is free burning.

The Fire Department is always ready to respond to any call to an emergency of any kind but we are reluctant to interfere with private business in matters which are routine such as damaged water supplies, sewerage disposal systems or flooded areas when no emergency exists. We feel it is unfair to risk damage to Fire Department equipment which is bought by the taxpayer for a special purpose.

WARREN H. TOWNE  
Chief

## YOU CAN HELP PREVENT FOREST FIRES

Twenty-five percent of all forest fires in New Hampshire are caused from careless debris burning—brush, paper, leaves, etc. Most of them are started without the required permit from the local forest fire warden. The cost of extinguishing these fires annually runs into large sums of money.

According to law, responsible parties must pay the cost of putting them out. In addition, violators may be subject to court prosecution with fines running as high as (\$200) two-hundred dollars.

In the interest of fire prevention why not eliminate burning at home? Use your town dump. It has been set up for your personal convenience. It provides a suitable place for the disposal of dangerous inflammable waste material and other useless items which accumulate around the home and local stores, brush, etc. cut on your property. Eliminate the hazard of burning yourself. It will be easier for you—personally and financially.

If, however, you do burn on your premises:

1. Secure a permit from your local forest fire warden—the law requires it.
2. Be sure to properly supervise your burning. Don't leave it.
3. Make certain your fire is DEAD OUT before leaving it.

*Save yourself much possible difficulty*      *Use your town dump*

Number of local fires, 0. Number of acres burned, 0. Number of permits issued, 296.

WINTHROP HANNAFORD  
District Fire Chief  
WARREN H. TOWNE  
Forest Fire Warden

## REPORT OF TOWN FOREST COMMITTEE

During the winter of 1957-58 Howard Parkhurst was only able to cut about 18,000 feet of pine due to the deep snow and muddy spring. This was cut near the Five Corners in Spalding Park. The area is Southeast of the State Park. He did the logging, trucking and stuck out the boards, Milton Glover did the sawing. The lumber was sold to the Lorden Lumber Co. on grade. Some rejects were used by the school. We netted \$17.00 per thousand, stumpage.

He started this year's cut after Thanksgiving in the area Northwest of the Parker Pond dam. There are several pines that are dying, having been damaged by the lightning fire a few years ago. Much thinning should also be done there. The snow came and since that area is hard to operate he moved to East of the Five Corners where the older pine needs thinning. Several have started to rot and have woodpecker holes.

Last winter Howard completed another ten acres in the pruning program. Only small straight crop trees, not closer than a rod apart are pruned to a height of 17 feet. Some day much high value lumber will be cut. The ACP paid part of the cost.

Last fall we had Theodore Caughey, a forest management contractor, of Milford thin out the poor quality hardwoods that were overtopping the pine in this area. It was not economical to cut them for wood so he killed them with chemicals. They will soon rot and fall to pieces, gradually freeing the pine. He also did the same on 7½ acres in the Witch Spring lot. As this was part of the 1959 ACP program we will receive payment from them later.

For the first time we took advantage of state forest fire service money for the reopening of main wood roads for better fire protection. They will pay half the cost up to \$25.00 per year. The work must be approved and inspected by the District Chief. We cleared the Dunklee Mill Road, from S. Merrimack Road to the old Stickney place, near the Wheeler Rd. Also the old road from this road by the throne to the Farley Rd.

Charles Morgan, after a lot of research and checking drew up a plan of the Dickerman lots, and went over the lines with the committee.

The following was done at no cost to the town: Parker Pond Rd. from Spalding Park to the Causeway across Parker Pond Brook and to the Baxter Rd. was cleared. Several spots on the roads in Spalding Park were cleared and most of the roads there were spray-



ed with brushkiller for the third time. Much work was done on rechecking bounds and painting with bright paint and clearing of boundary lines. We would appreciate the donation of lengths of iron pipe that can be placed beside old bounds to make them more visible. The County Forester, Robert Breck, has taken plans of all of the Town Forest lots and traced them on aerial photos for his records and for those of the ACP. He gave us mimeographed copies. The Comm. rechecked 3 areas in town where heavy concentrations of currant bushes were found in the 1957 blister rust program. Those found were killed with brushkiller.

We will continue to take advantage of the ACP payments for pruning and thinning. We have signed up for a forest fire pond for 1959. The ACP will pay half of the cost up to \$75.00. The several agencies have approved a location at the Wallingford place, by the side of Parker Pond brook at the Causeway. We plan to have a continuing program of reopening main wood roads.

The Committee would be glad to show anyone through the different lots. It is interesting to see the progress being made and the benefit we are getting from the work done by Warren Gould and many others in former years. More people should know where the lots are and what is growing on them.

#### RECEIPTS

From sale of lumber	\$1,223.55	
From ACP, towards cost of pruning	134.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,357.55

#### PAYMENTS

Operating lumber, stump to stick	\$ 920.95	
Howard Parkhurst, pruning pines	200.00	
Town share of clearing forest fire roads	73.40	
Charles Morgan, checking lines, Dickerman Lot	30.00	
	<hr/>	\$1,224.35
Net Profit, 1958		\$ 133.20

Respectfully submitted,

JEFFREY P. SMITH  
 ROBERT N. HAYDEN  
 HENRY H. HILDRETH  
 Town Forest Committee

## HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

1958 started with snow problems due to the soft gravel road conditions which hinder the use of truck plows. The grader was put to good use although it was somewhat slower. The snow was removed with much less loss of gravel and less danger of filling gutters due to the more accurate governing of the blade.

Summer maintenance consisted of the usual grading of the graveled roads, some three and some four times.

Town funds were used in part to extend the construction on Nartoff Rd., also on the very narrow, poorly drained section of Rocky Pond Road; beginning at the Jct. of Wood Lane and extending in a westerly direction. Also a 500 foot addition was added to Flint Pond Drive.

164 feet of culvert was replaced with cement and steel pipe, also five miles was surfaced treated. The grader was used to great advantage in both of these projects.

Our T. R. A. program this year completed 1½ miles of widening, draining, and graveling and hard surfacing on Blood Road and Twiss Lane.

The Highway Department is still very much in need of gravel. Then too, we are faced with the problem of dependable help.



## REPORT OF SELECTMEN

### Highways

		Selectmen of Hollis
Money appropriated and spent for Town Road upkeep and construction:		
TRA—Town	\$ 1,060.30	
TRA—State	7,068.68	
Summer Roads—Town	9,000.00	
Winter Roads—Town	6,000.00	
General Expenses of Highways—Town	2,936.37	
Summer Roads overdraft	305.04	
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Total		\$ 26,370.39
Winter Roads unexpended balance		53.95
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Total spent		\$ 26,316.44

### Planning Board

Several meetings have been held recently. One with a representative of the State Planning and Development Board, who after a careful study of the Town Zoning Ordinance, has recommended several changes. One of these is Zoning for a Light Industry Area.

### Town Water Supply Committee

The \$250.00 appropriated at the 1958 Town Meeting has been held over to this year. The committee was not able to secure an Engineer in time for a definite report and recommendations.

### Municipal Court

The Municipal Court has been set-up during 1958 and is now in operation. The Selectmen believe that it has proved most successful, due, in a large extent, to the work of Judge Denton Lates.

### Town Dump

The Selectmen have been notified by the Health Officer of the Town, that it has become necessary to close the town dump, due to the dumping of garbage and dead animals, etc. This will mean fencing off the dump and keeping a man at the dump on the days that it is open. It has been suggested that the dump be kept open two days a week, probably Saturday and Sunday.

ROSCOE BROWN  
EDWARD LIEVENS  
HAROLD FARNUM

Selectmen of Hollis

## ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

March 11, 1958

Meeting called to order by Moderator Warren Towne at 10:15 A. M. Rev. Seth W. Newton offered prayer. The Warrant was read and opened for balloting for Town Officers at 10:20 A. M. Polls closed at 7:45 P. M. and the meeting was resumed at 8:15 P. M. with the lower hall filled to capacity. The articles of the warrant were read by Moderator Towne.

Article 1. Selectman Farnum explained the budget. He stated that Municipal Court expenses of \$250 were standard for a town just starting. He asked Fire Chief Towne to speak on a fire alarm system for the Town Hall and school. Chief Towne said that an alarm system might be installed in the Town Hall as reasonable as \$150 which might be the means of saving the building if a fire started while it was vacant. Selectman Farnum went on to say that the high expenses of the Fire and Police departments is due to the cost of the Red and Blue phone service. Dog damage is high because of damage to minks. Additional expense for New Land and Buildings is for grading lots in the new part of the East Cemetery. Moderator Towne suggested this article be passed to be taken up later.

Article 2. Winston Hambleton gave a report for the Planning Board as to bringing light industry to town. He said that Hollis has more available land than most towns but needs a water system to attract industry as the insurance rate drops from 75¢ to 40¢ a hundred where there is a water system. Motion by Winthrop Carter to accept reports of Town Officers as printed. Seconded and Carried.

Article 3. Motion by Erving Simonds to authorize the selectmen to borrow money in anticipation of taxes. Seconded. Carried.

Article 4. Motion by Clarence Howe to accept State Aid for the construction of Class V Roads and appropriate the sum of \$1,060.30. Seconded. Carried.

Article 5. Motion by Irving Cable to authorize the Selectmen to distribute blank inventories at the time of appraisal. Seconded. Carried.

Article 6. Motion by Evelyn Rice to assess a fine of twenty cents on each poll tax not paid by December 1, 1958. Seconded. Carried.

Article 7. Motion by Jack Boyd to raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 for the Merrimack Valley Regional Association. Seconded. Carried.

Article 8. Selectman Farnum stated that articles 8, 9, and 10 were in the warrant because ten or more voters had signed a petition requesting them. Motion by William Lassins to continue to have the office of the Chief of Police appointed by the Selectmen. Seconded. Carried.

Article 9. Motion by George Howland that the Town continue to maintain a Municipal Court. Seconded. A lengthy discussion followed, during which it was stated there were 70 cases taken to other Courts last year. A secondary motion by Ed Lievens for a written ballot was defeated. The original motion carried.

Article 10. Motion by Irving Cable to raise the pay scale of Town help from \$1.00 per hour to \$1.25 per hour for adult help. Seconded. Defeated 89 to 45 by a count of hands. Motion by Edward Lievens to leave it to the Selectmen to raise the pay to \$1.25 per hour if they thought a man worth it. Seconded. Motion by Albert Parker to table the previous motion. Seconded. Carried.

Article 11. Motion by Irving Cable to discontinue the Blood Crossing Road, from the Pine Hill Road to the Nashua City line. Seconded. Carried.

Article 12. Motion by Raymond Crooker to accept the Flint Pond Drive extension of 500 feet, northward from the property of Lionel LaRoche. Seconded. Carried.

Article 13. Motion by Erving Simonds to discontinue that portion of the Federal Hill Road, from the junction of the Plain Road south to the buildings of the former Anthony Molis. Seconded. Motion by Dexter Johnson to table the previous motion. Seconded. Carried.

Article 14. Motion by Harry Bell to accept this article, subject to the right of way on map on file with the Selectmen. Seconded. Carried.

Article 15. Motion by Winthrop Carter to authorize the Moderator to appoint a committee of five persons to investigate and make recommendations at the 1959 Town Meeting, as to the possibility of establishing a municipal water supply, and vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$250.00 for the use of this committee. Seconded. Carried.

Article 1 was reconsidered. Motion by William Sprowle to accept the budget as printed. Seconded. Carried.

Article 16. Motion by Richard Tenney to take up the articles of business of Town Meeting in the evening next year. Seconded. Carried.

The result of the balloting was announced and the following elected Town officials were sworn in by Moderator Towne: Town Clerk, Bertha E. Duncan; Selectman, Harold Farnum; Deputy Fire Chiefs, Erving Simonds and Roscoe Brown. Fire Chief, Warren Towne was sworn in by Clerk Duncan. Other officials will be sworn in later.

Meeting was adjourned at 10:30 P. M.

A true record—attest

BERTHA E. DUNCAN,  
*Town Clerk*

## ZONING ORDINANCE

### FOR THE TOWN OF HOLLIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Accepted and Adopted at Special Town Meeting, January 21, 1952

An ordinance to promote the health, safety, morals, convenience and general welfare of the community by regulating and restricting the use and construction of buildings and premises in the Town of Hollis.

**PREAMBLE:** In pursuance of authority conferred by Chapter 53, section 14, Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942 and by Chapter 51, sections 50-71, Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, as amended by Chapters 110 and 278, Laws of 1949, and for the purpose of promoting the health, safety, morals, prosperity, convenience or general welfare, as well as efficiency and economy in the process of development, of the community of the incorporated Town of Hollis, New Hampshire, by securing safety from fire, panic, and other dangers, providing adequate areas between buildings and various rights of way, by preserving the rural charm now attached to this town, the promotion of good civic design and arrangement, wise and efficient expenditure of public funds, and the adequate provision of public utilities and other public requirements, and by other means in accordance with a comprehensive plan, now therefore the following ordinance is hereby enacted by the voters of the Town of Hollis, New Hampshire in official special meeting convened.

#### SECTION 1

For the purpose of this ordinance the Town of Hollis is divided into districts as defined below.

District 1. Residential and Agricultural.

To include all of the Town of Hollis not otherwise included in District 2, Recreational.

District 2. Recreational.

To include all land within one-quarter mile from the shores of Silver Lake, Flint Pond, Pennichuck Pond, Dunklee Pond, Rocky Pond, and Nissitissit River.

#### SECTION 2

**Definitions:** For the purpose of this ordinance, certain terms or words used herein are defined as follows:

1. *Home produce and products* means and includes everything of an agricultural nature grown, produced, conditioned or otherwise carried on the property of a resident, also such articles as are manufactured or altered by members of the household of a resident.

2. *Public right of way* means and includes all town, state and federal highways and the land on either side of the same as covered by statutes to determine the width of rights of way.

3. *Permanent resident*. A person shall be considered a permanent resident when he has used any building continuously as a residence for a period of six months or more.

4. *Tourist home*. A dwelling in which accommodations are provided or offered for transient guests for compensation.

5. *Hotel*. A building which contains more than twelve rooms which are provided or offered to guests as accommodations for sleeping, and which provides or offers to guests accommodations for eating, for compensation.

6. *Front yard*. An open unoccupied space extending for the full width of a lot between the extreme front line of the building thereon and the nearest side of the right of way or mapped street line.

7. *Frontage*. The distance that a front yard borders on the right of way.

8. *Logging Camp*. A camp built of such material and in such a manner that it is only for temporary use during the cutting and handling of logs, cordwood or other such material.

9. *Camp*. A building of such a nature that it may be used for recreational and dwelling purposes during seasonal parts of the year.

10. *Overnight cabin*. A building which is provided or offered as accommodations for transient guests for compensation.

11. *Tourist or motor courts* shall mean and include two or more overnight cabins operated as part of a single business.

12. *Family*. One or more persons occupying the premises and living as a single housekeeping unit.

### SECTION 3

District No. 1, the Residential and Agricultural Area, shall enjoy the following provisions:

1. It shall be a district of farms, residences and businesses. Logging camps will be permitted in this District as hereinafter provided in section 4, paragraph 2.

2. No building shall house more than two families as permanent residents, except that upon permit of the Board of Adjustment, residential structures existing prior to the adoption of this ordinance may be converted to provide for more than two but not more than four families, providing the structure is not increased in volume and meets the requirements for yard space hereinafter provided in paragraph 3 of this section 3 and the requirements for dwelling unit space hereinafter provided in paragraph 9 of this section 3.



3. Front yards shall have a minimum depth of twenty-five feet provided that no front yard need be deeper than the average of the depths of such yards on the lots next thereto on either side, except that in no case shall a building be located nearer than ten feet of the nearest right of way or mapped street line. A vacant lot or a lot occupied by a building with a yard more than twenty-five feet deep is considered as having a front yard twenty-five feet deep. Every building hereafter constructed, erected, altered or moved shall set back at least fifteen feet from the side and rear lot lines. This paragraph shall not apply to roadside stands erected for the purpose of selling or exposing for sale home produce and products.

4. Home produce and products may be bought and sold and exposed for sale in this District.

5. Hotels and tourists homes may be maintained and operated in this District.

6. No overnight cabins, tourist or motor courts shall be permitted in this District except where such structures are to be supplementary to an established hotel or tourist home and are to be located on the same lot. Such structures as are permitted under this section shall be subject to the provisions for overnight cabins, tourist and motor courts hereinafter set forth in section 4, paragraph 5.

7. Private schools and sanitariums are permitted in this District.

8. A person doing business shall be allowed two advertising signs, which shall not total more than twenty square feet in area. This restriction shall not apply to signs painted or placed on a building. Property owners shall be allowed signs pertaining to the sale, lease or use of the lot or building on which the same may be placed, but such signs shall not total more than five square feet.

9. Building Area. No building or set of buildings shall occupy more than thirty per cent of the lot on which it or they may be located and each lot shall have a frontage of at least one hundred feet. Each family dwelling unit must contain not less than 500 square feet of floor area, exclusive of unenclosed porches.

10. No owner of land in this District shall permit any building or structure which is partially or wholly destroyed to remain in such condition for a period of more than two years, nor shall the owner of any land in this District permit any building or structure to remain in a state of incompletion for a period of more than two years. Such owner shall cause such building or structure to be reconstructed or removed, or completed, as the case may be, within said period. In the event of violation of this paragraph, the Board

of Selectmen may cause such building or structure to be removed, and shall charge the cost of such removal to the owner of the premises on which the same was located, except that the Board of Selectmen may, in cases of hardship or for other good cause shown, grant such owner a single extension of time for the reconstruction, removal or completion of such building or structure not to exceed one year.

11. No business not in operation at the date of the passage of this ordinance shall be allowed except by special permit of the Board of Adjustment. The provision shall not apply to farming.

12. No business not in operation at the date of the passage of this ordinance shall be allowed which is injurious, noxious or offensive to the town or the neighborhood in which it is proposed to be located, by reason of the emission of odors, fumes, dust, smoke, vibration, noise or any other cause.

13. The Board of Adjustment in granting a permit for a new business shall prescribe such conditions as to location, size of buildings, front and side yards, setbacks, parking facilities, roadways, storage areas and other features as may be required to protect the character of the town or neighborhood and to insure orderly development of the community.

The Board of Adjustment may grant a conditional permit for a temporary period where there is question as to the effect that a business might have on the community.

14. Trailers. No trailer shall be used as a residence in this area for more than three months without a permit from the Board of Selectmen. Upon application made prior to the expiration of the three months period, a permit may be granted by the Board of Selectmen for a six months extension of this period. In no event shall any trailer be used as a residence for more than nine consecutive months out of any twelve months period.

#### SECTION 4

District No. 2, the Recreational Area, shall enjoy the following provisions:

1. Except as otherwise specifically provided, all the provisions applying to District 1 shall apply in District 2, and in addition camps will be permitted.

2. Logging camps shall be allowed by permit of the Board of Selectmen only during the active working of a lot and shall be removed when such work is finished. In granting of permits, the period of use permitted shall be stated.

3. Camps shall be finished in a permanent manner.



4. Building Area. No building or set of buildings shall occupy more than thirty per cent of the lot on which it or they may be located and each lot shall have a frontage of at least seventy-five feet. Each family dwelling unit must contain not less than 500 square feet of floor area which may include porches covered by permanent roofs.

5. Overnight cabins, tourist or motor courts shall be permitted in this District under the following conditions:

a. Each individual dwelling unit shall have a minimum floor area of 300 square feet exclusive of unenclosed porches.

b. Each individual dwelling unit unless attached or partially attached by carport, porch, garage or breezeway to structure shall be no nearer than thirty feet of another structure.

c. No such structure shall be located nearer than fifty feet of any public right of way or mapped street line or nearer than seventy-five feet of any public body of water.

6. Nothing in this section or in section 5 of this ordinance shall be held to prohibit the erection of a building upon a lot having a frontage of less than 75 feet provided such lot at the time of the passage of this ordinance was held under separate ownership from the adjoining lot; or provided that at the time of the passage of this ordinance the majority of the lots fronting on the same street and between the two nearest intersecting streets are each held under separate ownership and are each of the same or less area in the lot in question.

## SECTION 5

### Non-Conforming Uses

1. If, at the time of the adoption of this ordinance any land, building or structure is being used in a lawful manner, except that such use is not in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance, such non-conforming use of said land, building or structure may be continued. No interruption of such a non-conforming use shall prevent its continuance, except as hereinafter provided in paragraph 3 of this section 5.

2. Any property enjoying a non-conforming use hereunder may be altered or expanded as conditions warrant, provided such alteration or expansion does not change the nature of the non-conforming use and does not prove more offensive to the town or the neighborhood in which the property is located, because of noise, noxious odor or any other cause, than the non-conforming use prior to such alteration or expansion.

3. Whenever a non-conforming use has been discontinued for more than two years for any reason, such non-conforming use shall not thereafter be re-established, and the future use of the property shall be in conformity with the provisions of this ordinance. In such case the Board of Selectmen may order or cause the removal of non-conforming buildings, structures or facilities and shall charge the cost of such removal to the owner of the premises on which the same were located.

4. A non-conforming temporary building may be permitted by the Board of Adjustment for use incidental to the development of a neighborhood for an initial period of not more than two years upon application accompanied by a bond and bill of sale to the town, effective in case such building is not removed at the expiration of the permit. Such permits may be renewed by the Board of Adjustment for successive periods of not more than one year each.

## SECTION 6

### New Development

1. The owner of any plot of ground intended for development or subdivision into two or more building lots shall file with the Board of Selectmen a plan or map of the proposed subdivision and shall obtain the approval of the Board of Selectmen thereon before proceeding with the development or sale of lots in the said subdivision.

2. It shall be the duty of the Board of Selectmen to inspect the site of such proposed subdivision and to require such roadway and other areas for common use as will eventually be acceptable to the town for maintenance by the town, and to approve the proposed subdivision when the proposed plans are in harmony with and conducive to the general welfare of the town and the neighborhood, but in no sense shall this be deemed an acceptance by the town of the street or streets.

## SECTION 7

### Enforcement and Administration

1. It shall be the duty of the Board of Selectmen, and the Board is hereby given power and authority, to enforce and administer the provisions of this ordinance.

2. There shall be an Inspector of Buildings appointed annually by the Board of Selectmen. Such Inspector of Buildings shall serve without compensation, and no fees of any kind shall be imposed in connection with any permits or certificates required under the terms of this ordinance.

3. The Building Inspector shall issue any and all building permits requested when the proposed plans are in accordance with the provisions of this ordinance, and, if required, are authorized by

the Board of Adjustment, and then only. Such permits shall expire and become invalid if construction has not been started within one year from the date of issuance.

#### 4. Permits

a. After passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful to erect any permanent building or alter the bulk of any building or permanently relocate any building in any District, without first obtaining a building permit from the Building Inspector.

b. Upon receipt of an application for a permit to erect a building to be used in connection with a new business, which new business shall have received prior approval of the Board of Adjustment in accordance with the provisions of section 3, paragraphs 11 and 12 hereinabove set forth, the Building Inspector shall notify by registered mail all owners of property within a radius of 1,000 feet of the property on which the building is proposed to be erected, and shall not issue a permit until ten days after such notification has been mailed or given in person in writing.

c. Any owner of property within a 1,000 feet radius of the property on which the new business is proposed to be established, may, within ten days after such notification has been given, object in writing to the Board of Adjustment on the ground of the appearance or use of the proposed building or structure. The Board of Adjustment shall thereupon give a hearing within thirty days of the receipt of such notice of objection at which parties in interest and others shall have an opportunity to be heard, and shall decide whether the permit shall issue or not. At least fifteen days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town of Hollis and by posting at the town hall and post office.

5. No land in any District shall be used for a dump or a place for refuse, waste or junk of any kind, nor for abandoned automobiles, carriages or other vehicles, machinery or other tools or appliances without prior written approval of the Board of Adjustment, such approval to be in the sole discretion of the Board of Adjustment and upon such conditions as it may determine.

6. Upon any violation of this ordinance, the Selectmen shall, on their own initiative, take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this ordinance by seeking an injunction in the Superior Court or by any other proper legal action.

## SECTION 8

### Board of Adjustment

1. Within thirty days after the adoption of this ordinance and thereafter as terms expire or vacancies occur, the Moderator, with the advice and consent of the Board of Selectmen, shall make appointments to the Board of Adjustment of five members, in conformance with the provisions of Chapter 51 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, 1942.

## SECTION 9

### Amendments

1. This ordinance may be amended by a majority vote of any legal town meeting when such amendment is published in the warrant calling for the meeting and when such amendment has received a public hearing, which hearing has been advertised and given a legal fifteen day notice.

## SECTION 10

### Penalty

1. Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined not more than ten dollars upon conviction for each day such violation may exist.

## SECTION 11

### Saving Clause

1. The invalidity of any provision of this ordinance shall not affect the validity of any other provision.

## SECTION 12

### When Effective

1. This ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.

# AMENDMENTS TO THE ZONING ORDINANCE OF HOLLIS, NEW HAMPSHIRE

Accepted and Adopted at Town Meeting March 10, 1953

Amend Section 7, subsection 4, subparagraph b by striking out the following words: "property on which the building is proposed to be erected" and inserting in place thereof the following: "building which is proposed to be erected" so that said Section 7, 4, b as amended shall read as follows:

b. Upon receipt of an application for a permit to erect a building to be used in connection with a new business, which new business shall have received prior approval of the Board

of Adjustment in accordance with the provisions of section 3, paragraphs 11 and 12 hereinabove set forth, the Building Inspector shall notify by registered mail all owners of property within a radius of 1,000 feet of the building which is proposed to be erected, and shall not issue a permit until ten days after such notification has been mailed or given in person in writing.

Amend Section 7, subsection 4, subparagraph c by striking out the following words: "property on" and inserting in place thereof the following: "building in" so that said Section 7, 4, c as amended shall read as follows:

c. Any owner of property within a 1,000 feet radius of the building in which the new business is proposed to be established, may, within ten days after such notification has been given, object in writing to the Board of Adjustment on the ground of the proposed building or structure. The Board of Adjustment shall thereupon give a hearing within thirty days of the receipt of such notice of objection at which parties in interest and others shall have an opportunity to be heard, and shall decide whether the permit shall issue or not. At least fifteen days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town of Hollis and by posting at the town hall and post office.

Amend Section 8 of the Zoning Ordinance by adding the following new paragraphs:

2. The Board of Adjustment may, in appropriate cases and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards, make special exceptions to the terms of this ordinance in harmony with its general purpose and intent and in accordance with the general or specific rules herein contained.

3. Meetings of the Board shall be held at the call of the chairman and at such other times as the Board may determine. All meetings shall be open to the public. The Board shall adopt its own rules of procedure. The Board shall keep minutes of its proceedings, showing the vote of each member upon each question, or, if absent or failing to vote, indicating such fact, and shall keep records of its examinations and other official actions, all of which shall be immediately filed in the office of the Board and shall be a public record.

4. Appeals of the Board of Adjustment may be taken by any person aggrieved or by any officer, department, board, or bureau of the town affected by any decision of the Board of Selectmen as the administering and enforcing body of this ordinance. Such appeal shall be taken within a reasonable time, as provided by the rules of



the Board, by filing with the Board of Selectmen and with the Board of Adjustment a notice of appeal specifying the grounds thereof. The Board of Selectmen shall forthwith transmit to the Board of Adjustment all the papers constituting the record upon which the action appealed from was taken.

5. An appeal stays all proceedings under the action appealed from, unless the Board of Selectmen certifies to the Board of Adjustment after notice of appeal shall have been filed with the Board of Selectmen that by reason of facts stated in the certificate a stay would, in its opinion, cause imminent peril to life or property. In such case, proceedings shall not be stayed otherwise than by a restraining order which may be granted by the Board of Adjustment or by the superior court on notice to the Board of Selectmen and cause shown.

6. The Board of Adjustment shall fix a reasonable time for the hearing on appeal, give public notice thereof, as well as notice to the parties in interest, and decide the same within a reasonable time. Upon the hearing any party may appear in person or by agent or attorney.

7. The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers:

a. To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there is error in any order, requirement, decision or determination made by the Board of Selectmen in the enforcement of this ordinance.

b. To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of this ordinance upon which it is required to pass under this ordinance.

c. To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance from the terms of this ordinance as will not be contrary to public interest, where, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of the provisions hereof will result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of this ordinance shall be observed and substantial justice done.

d. In exercising the above-mentioned powers the Board of Adjustment may, in conformity with the provisions hereof, reverse or affirm, wholly or partly, or may modify the order, requirement, decision or determination appealed from and may make such order, or decision, as ought to be made, and to that end shall have all the powers of the Board of Selectmen.

e. The concurring vote of three members of the Board shall be necessary to reverse any action of the Board of Selectmen, or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon

which the Board of Adjustment is required to pass under this ordinance, or to effect any variation in this ordinance.

8. In granting variations the Board may impose such reasonable and additional stipulations and conditions as will in its judgment best carry out the intent and purpose of this ordinance.

9. The Board may, in its discretion, authorize the following exceptions to be made, and permits to be issued:

a. For a sand, gravel or clay pit together with the necessary building or structures for such period and under such conditions as are reasonable, considering the character of the area in question.

b. For a reasonable extension of the regulations of either District over a lot divided by a District boundary line, when all parts of such lot are held under the same ownership at the time of the passage of this paragraph of this ordinance.

c. For the erection or use of a structure in any District by a public utility corporation when such erection or use is reasonably necessary for the service of the public and not unreasonably detrimental to the character of the development.

d. For a cemetery or a municipal utility or municipal building in any District.

e. For a front, side or rear yard of less depth than that required by this ordinance, where topography or existing building development makes strict compliance unreasonable or substantially impossible.

## ARTICLES ACCEPTED AT ADJOURNED MEETING

MAY 14, 1956

20. To see if the Town will vote to amend section 7 of the Zoning Ordinance by striking out Sub-paragraph b. of Paragraph 4 thereof and inserting in its place the following:

b. Upon receipt of an application for a permit to operate a new business and/or to erect a building to be used in connection therewith, the Board of Adjustment shall notify by certified mail all owners of property within a radius of one thousand feet of the business which is proposed to be carried on or of the building which is proposed to be erected, and shall not issue a permit for the new business, nor authorize the Building Inspector to issue a permit for the building until ten days after such notification has been mailed.

21. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 7 of the Zoning Ordinance by striking out sub-paragraph c. of Paragraph 4 thereof and inserting in its place the following:

c. Any owner of property within a thousand foot radius of the business which is proposed to be carried on or of the building in which the new business is proposed to be established, may, within ten days after such notification has been given, object in writing to the Board of Adjustment on the ground of the nature of the proposed business or of the appearance or use of the proposed building or structure. The Board of Adjustment shall thereupon give a hearing within thirty days of the receipt of such notice of objection at which parties in interest and others shall have an opportunity to be heard, and shall decide whether the permit for the new business and for the building to be used in connection therewith shall issue or not. At least fifteen days' notice of the time and place of such hearing shall be given by publication in a newspaper of general circulation in the Town of Hollis and by posting at the Town Hall and Post Office.

22. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 3 of the Zoning Ordinance by striking out Paragraph 9 thereof and inserting in its place the following:

9. Building Area and Lot Size. No building or set of buildings shall occupy more than thirty per cent of the lot on which it or they may be located, and each lot shall



have an area of at least  $\frac{3}{4}$  acre and a frontage of at least one hundred fifty feet, with the exception that lots within a radius of one-half mile of the Town Hall shall have an area of at least fifteen thousand feet and a frontage of at least one hundred feet. Each family dwelling unit must contain not less than 800 square feet of ground floor area, exclusive of unenclosed porches.

Section 3 was also amended by adding the following three paragraphs:

Nothing in this section shall be held to prohibit the erection of a building upon a lot having a frontage of less than 150 feet or an area of less than  $\frac{3}{4}$  of an acre provided:

1. Such lot was held under separate ownership from the adjoining lot or lots and complied with the frontage requirements in existence at the date of passage of this amendment, or

2. Such lot is a part of a development or subdivision which has been approved by the Board of Selectmen prior to the date of passage of this amendment.

23. To see if the Town will vote to amend Section 3 of the Zoning Ordinance by striking out paragraph 14 thereof and inserting in its place the following:

14. Trailers. No trailer shall be used as a residence in this area for more than three months without a permit from the Board of Selectmen. Upon application made prior to the expiration of the three months period, a permit may be granted by the Board of Selectmen for a six months extension of this period. No trailer shall be used as a residence for more than nine consecutive months out of any twelve month period, with the exception that upon application made prior to the expiration of the six months extension, two further six months extensions may be granted only to those who are in process of building a house, by the Board of Selectmen, provided the location of the trailer is outside of the area within a radius of one mile of the Town Hall.

## MEMORIAL DAY REPORT 1958

Received from Town of Hollis		\$	226.62
Expenses			
Food, Veteran's dinner	\$	11.45	
Milk and tonic		7.12	
Flags		41.30	
Programs		16.75	
Hollis Church School Band		150.00	
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Total Expenses		\$	226.62

HENRY C. HILLS

Finance Officer  
Donald C. Petry Post #89  
American Legion

## REPORT OF TOWN AUDITORS

We have examined the accounts for 1958 of the Tax Collector, Town Clerk, Town Treasurer, Library Treasurer, Trustees of the Trust Funds and Selectmen and find them correct.

H. C. MANNING  
G. F. McENNIS

Auditors

Hollis, New Hampshire, February 1959



# VITAL STATISTICS

## BIRTHS

Registered in the Town of Hollis, N. H.,  
for the year ending December 31, 1958.

(in order of receipt)

Date, Place of Birth, Name of Child, Name of Father,  
Maiden Name of Mother.

1958

- Jan. 4—Nashua, N. H., John Mark Lavergne, Jean Raymond Lavergne, Juliette Louise Barriault.
- Jan. 14—Nashua, N. H., Jon Steven Jonis, Julius Jonis, Pauline Ann Wilkaites.
- Jan. 30—Nashua, N. H., David Ovens, Lewis Alfred Ovens, Eunice Blanche Tyler.
- Jan. 30—Nashua, N. H., Donald Ovens, Lewis Alfred Ovens, Eunice Blanche Tyler.
- Feb. 13—Nashua, N. H., Gail Thistle Cunningham, Richard Taylor Cunningham, Judith Beatrice Thistle.
- Feb. 20—Nashua, N. H., Jennifer Dawn Spence, J. Donald Spence, Bernice Ruth Snow.
- Feb. 25—Nashua, N. H., Ralph Edward Dutton, Jr., Ralph Edward Dutton, Claire Bertha Rood.
- Mar. 6—Nashua, N. H., Karla Christine Neary, Elmer Barnett Neary, Marjorie Evelyn Lund.
- Mar. 30—Nashua, N. H., Lori Lynn Thistle, Herbert Avery Thistle, Dorothy Mabel Munroe.
- Apr. 13—Nashua, N. H., Deborah Ann Jackman, Ralph Edward Jackman, Carolyn Adalaide Larrabee.
- Apr. 19—Nashua, N. H., Michel Andre Sirois, Hormidas Joseph Sirois, Dorothy Ruth Fox.
- May 4—Nashua, N. H., Ryan Dennis Little, Robert Harry Little, Jeanette Eleanor Emond.
- May 16—Nashua, N. H., Mark Fini, Silvio Anthony Fini, Irene Saylor Henshaw.
- May 4—Groton, Mass., Jennifer Stacy Ballou, Francis Archibald Ballou, Nancy Jane Powers.
- July 3—Nashua, N. H., Mark John Cudworth, Robert Marvell Cudworth, Marsha Ann Coleman.

- June 6—Nashua, N. H., Dale Alan Pierce, Robert Edmund Pierce,  
Constance Jane Conery.
- July 22—Nashua, N. H., Wendy Eileen Hills, Harold French Hills,  
Everdean Junie Vancore.
- Aug. 18—Nashua, N. H., William Wilder Wright, Elmer Duncan  
Wright, Elizabeth Nettie Kimball.
- Aug. 31—Hollis, N. H., Tammy Shirley Goodness, George Henry  
Goodness, Shirley Elizabeth Wass.
- Aug. 23—Nashua, N. H., Marion Kay Spaulding, Sumner Everett  
Spaulding, Barbara Elizabeth Blood.
- Oct. 7—Nashua, N. H., Harry Edward Weiser, Harry Eugene  
Weiser, Elsie Marie Lievens.
- Oct. 19—Nashua, N. H., Christopher Adams Atwood, Westcott  
Gorton Atwood, Glena Marie Giles.
- Nov. 11—Lawrence, Mass., Richard Brian Fournier Soles, Albert  
Leo Fournier Soles, Carol Joan Beaubien.
- Dec. 16—Nashua, N. H., Jeffrey Wayne Spaulding, Carroll Sumner  
Spaulding, Martha Ann Muzzey.
- Dec. 28—Nashua, N. H., James Ryan Taylor, Richard David Tay-  
lor, Mary Helen Scott.

Recorded—Hollis, N. H. Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

## MARRIAGES

Registered in the Town of Hollis for the year  
ending December 31, 1958 (in order of receipt)

Date, Place of Marriage, Surname of Groom and Bride,  
by Whom Married

1958

- Feb. 1—Hollis, Robert James Beard, Diane Edith Smith, Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Feb. 21—Hollis, Gerard C. Plasse, Claire A. Mallas, Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Feb. 23—Nashua, Ernest Clarke Adams, Jr., Esther Louise Hammond, Rev. William B. Panton, Minister of the Church of the Nazarene.
- Mar. 15—Amherst, Douglas Arthur Petry, Helen Hutchinson, Catherine A. Kruger, Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 23—Hollis, Philip L. Frohock, Dorenda Ruth Winston, Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Mar. 29—Hollis, George Hazen Allen, Ann Mildred Littlefield, Seth W. Newton, Congregational-Christian Minister.
- Apr. 11—Amherst, Richard David Taylor, Mary Helen Scott, Catherine A. Kruger, Justice of the Peace.
- Apr. 12—Amherst, Aurelio Trevisani, Adelaide Ruth Tyler, Catherine A. Kruger, Justice of the Peace.
- Apr. 12—Mason, Harold Almon Patten, Dorothy Irene Creighton, Charles F. H. Crathern, Justice of the Peace.
- Apr. 19—Nashua, Maurice Leo Dionne, Shirley Anne Crooker, Rev. John H. Bryson, Catholic Priest.
- May 3—Nashua, Richard Paul Miner, Irene Lillian Lavoie, Rev. Raymond S. Desjardins, Roman Catholic Priest.
- May 17—Nashua, Edward Joseph Stefanowicz, Doris Theresa Duffina, Rev. E. L. Bussiere, Roman Catholic Priest.
- June 7—Hollis, Robert Arthur Sheldon, Constance Poole Smith, Seth W. Newton, Congregational-Christian Minister.
- June 15—Hollis, Randall Francis Guady, Judith Joy Rechin, Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.

- June 21—Hollis, Robert Edward Petersen, Beverly Joan Frost,  
Seth W. Newton, Congregational-Christian Minister.
- Aug. 5—Milford, N. H., William Edward Clinton, Ann Lee Ward,  
Donald C. Bruce, Justice of the Peace.
- Aug. 23—Hudson, N. H., Richard S. Marvell, Jeanette F. Boucher,  
Rev. John J. Belluscio, Roman Catholic Priest.
- Sept. 27—Hollis, Peter Donald Scesny, Sandra Jean Temple,  
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Sept. 27—Milford, David Cruz Rodriguez, Carolyn Virginia Wells,  
Rev. C. W. Kreamer, Baptist Minister.
- Oct. 4—Nashua, Ernest Joseph Demanche, Winifred Knox Molis,  
John D. Wilcox, Justice of the Peace.
- Oct. 9—Hollis, Charles Earl Wiles, 3rd, Darlene Effie Lynde,  
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Nov. 19—Hollis, Clarence A. Carothers, Carol Genevieve Hornig,  
Charles F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Nov. 28—Hollis, Kenneth Duane Paulson, Elaine Soriano, Charles  
F. Dow, Justice of the Peace.
- Dec. 13—Mont Vernon, Harold James Latulippe, Alice Louise Tay-  
lor, Rev. Geo. B. Thomas, Justice.
- Dec. 31—Milford, James Reginald Bristol, Dorothy Evelyn Wheel-  
er, Paul F. Kavanagh, Special Justice.

Recorded—Hollis, N. H. Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk



## DEATHS

Recorded in the Town of Hollis, N. H.  
for the Year Ending December 31, 1958

(in order of receipt)

Date, Place of Death, Name of Deceased, Age,  
Place of Birth, Place of Burial.

1958

- Jan. 27—Nashua, N. H., Flora Locke Walters, 75, Orford, N. H.,  
Mt. Auburn Crematory, Cambridge, Mass.
- Jan. 30—Nashua, N. H., David Ovens, 30 minutes, Nashua, N. H.,  
North Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Jan. 30—Nashua, N. H., Donald Ovens, 30 minutes, Nashua, N. H.,  
North Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Mar. 6—Nashua, N. H., Karla Christine Neary, 20 minutes, Nash-  
ua, N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Mar. 19—Nashua, N. H., Laura A. Keyes Putnam, 49, Hollis,  
N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Mar. 30—Nashua, N. H., Ruth Webster, 35, Stoneham, Mass., East  
Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Apr. 12—Hollis, N. H., Alfrida N. Olson, 67, Sweden, East Ceme-  
tery, Hollis, N. H.
- Apr. 11—Nashua, N. H., Alice Elfrida Lievens, 55, Dorchester,  
Mass., North Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- May 9—Townsend, Mass., Ethel Mae Reeves, 60, Hopkinton,  
N. H., Hillside Cemetery, Townsend, Mass.
- May 18—Hollis, N. H., Norman Wilson Bennett, 84, Scotchbay,  
Nova Scotia, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- May 30—Plymouth, N. H., Charles Edward Wheeler, 84, Stowe,  
Mass., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- May 12—Nashua, N. H., Mabel Amelia Boulton, 89, Belchertown,  
Mass., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- May 25—Nashua, N. H., Ruth S. Woods, 84, Litchfield, N. H.,  
East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- June 2—Concord, N. H., Raymond Newton White, 73, Brattleboro,  
Vt., Blossom Hill Cemetery, Concord, N. H.
- July 4—Nashua, N. H., Mark John Cudworth, 1 day, Nashua,  
N. H., East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.

- Aug. 7—Nashua, N. H., Deborah Ann Jackman, 3 mo., 24 days,  
Nashua, N. H., Swampscott Cemetery, Swampscott,  
Mass.
- Aug. 8—Nashua, N. H., Isabelle MacLeod Mollett, 75, Balallan,  
Quebec, East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Aug. 28—Hollis, N. H., Maria Jane Loker, 88, Nova Scotia, Lake-  
view Cemetery, Cochituate, Mass.
- Sept. 1—Hollis, N. H., Richard F. Foley, 19, Somerville, Mass.,  
Cambridge Cemetery, Cambridge, Mass.
- Sept. 22—Concord, N. H., Ernest Dunklee, 82, Hollis, N. H., East  
Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Oct. 4—Hollis, N. H., Lizzie Marion Biggs, 83, Townsend, Mass.,  
Mt. Auburn, Cambridge, Mass.
- Sept. 1—Nashua, N. H., Baby Girl Sullivan, stillborn, Nashua,  
N. H., Mount Calvary Cemetery, Wilton, N. H.
- Oct. 26—Nashua, N. H., Florence Martha Grant, 75, Dunstable,  
Mass., Riverside Cemetery, Milford, N. H.
- Nov. 25—Nashua, N. H., William A. Sanders, 79, Waitsfield, Vt.,  
East Cemetery, Hollis, N. H.
- Dec. 13—Hollis, N. H., Odelie Deschenes, 57, Ste Modeste, Cana-  
da, St. Francis Xavier, Nashua, N. H.

Recorded—Hollis, N. H. Town Records

BERTHA E. DUNCAN

Town Clerk

# SCHOOL REPORT

# SCHOOL WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

*To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Hollis qualified to vote in district affairs:*

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the 9th day of March, 1959, at 8:00 o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose a Moderator for the coming year.
2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.
3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.
4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.
5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.
6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.
7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.
8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state foundation aid fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.
9. To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to make application for and to accept, on behalf of the district, any or all grants or other funds for educational purposes which may now or hereafter be forthcoming from the United States Government or from the State of New Hampshire, or from any other source.

10. To transact any other business that may legally come before this meeting.

Given under our hands at said Hollis this 13th day of February, 1959.

FRANK WHITTEMORE  
CAROLYN S. WRIGHT  
JACK BOYD

School Board

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

FRANK WHITTEMORE  
CAROLYN S. WRIGHT  
JACK BOYD

School Board

# ANNUAL REPORT OF THE OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HOLLIS

For the year ending June 30, 1958

Mr. Frank Whittemore, Chairman	Term Expires 1959
Mrs. Carolyn Wright	Term Expires 1960
Mr. Jack Boyd	Term Expires 1961
Mr. Harold C. Bowley, Milford, N. H.	Superintendent
Miss Mabel I. Connolly, Milford, N. H.	Helping Teacher
MMr. Arthur Davis, Mrs. Beryl Orde	Treasurer
Mr. Arthur Davis, Mrs. Beryl Orde	Treasurer
Mr. Warren Towne	Moderator
Mr. Gordon McEnnis	Auditor
Mr. Clifford Manning	Auditor
Mrs. Virginia Gill, R.N., Amherst, N. H.	Nurse
Alexander Law, M.D., Milford, N. H.	Physician
Mrs. Beryl Orde	Truant Officer

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 1958-59

Begin	Close
Wednesday, September 3, 1958	Friday, December 19, 1958
Monday, January 5, 1959	Friday, February 20, 1959
Monday, March 2, 1959	Friday, April 24, 1959
Monday, May 4, 1959	Approximately Thursday, June 11, 1959

Holidays:

October 16-17—Teachers' Convention

November 27-28—Thanksgiving

School closes at 12:15 P. M.—November 26

## SCHOOL CALENDAR 1959-60

Begin	Close
Wednesday, September 9, 1959	Wednesday, December 23, 1959
Monday, January 4, 1960	Friday, February 19, 1960
Monday, February 29, 1960	Friday, April 22, 1960
Monday, May 2, 1960	Approximately Fri., June 24, 1960

Holidays:

October 15-16—Teachers' Convention

November 26-27—Thanksgiving

School closes at 12:15 P. M.—November 25

May 30—Memorial Day

Schools must operate for a certain number of days. Therefore, closing for bad weather, etc. necessitates adding days at the end to make up for those lost. Schools will close on the 185 counted day since the Convention, Institutes and Workshops are counted as days in school.

# FINANCIAL REPORT OF HOLLIS SCHOOL BOARD

For Fiscal Year July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958

Total Receipts	\$ 95,216.06	
Total payments	95,074.01	
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Cash Balance, June 30, 1958		\$ 142.05

## RECEIPTS IN DETAIL

From State:		
Building Aid	\$ 2,025.00	
Foundation Aid	4,378.57	
Federal Aid:		
Smith-Hughes and George Barden	257.38	
National School Lunch	1,915.20	
From Selectmen, Local Taxation:		
By Appropriation voted March, 1957	83,186.95	
Special Appropriation	2,033.00	
From Sources Other than Taxation:		
Trust Funds	1,074.06	
Other Income	299.02	
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		\$ 95,169.18
Cash On Hand July 1, 1957		46.88
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GRAND TOTAL		\$ 95,216.06

## PAYMENTS IN DETAIL

(July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958)

(Classification and numbering conform to State Accounting System  
required in State-Aided Districts)

### Administration:

1. Salaries of District Officers	\$ 279.00
2. Superintendent's Salary (Local share)	841.50
3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision	660.00
4. Salaries of Other Administrative Personnel	992.50
5. Supplies and Expenses	663.79

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\$ 3,436.79

### Instruction:

6. Teachers' Salaries	\$ 45,012.43
7. Books and Other Instructional Aids	1,636.40
8. Scholars' Supplies	2,069.06
9. Salaries of Clerical Assistants	4,200.00
10. Supplies and Other Expenses	714.48

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\$ 53,632.37

### Operation of School Plant:

11. Salaries of Custodians	\$ 4,500.00
12. Fuel or Heat	2,556.23
13. Water, Light, Supplies & Expenses	1,751.22

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\$ 8,807.45

### Maintenance of School Plant:

14. Repairs & Replacements	\$ 1,160.42
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### Auxiliary Activities:

15. Health Supervision	676.75
16. Transportation	9,670.56
17. Tuition	231.00
18. Special Activities and Special Funds	
a. School Lunch	1,915.20
b. Other	452.75

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\$ 14,106.68



Fixed Charges:		
19.	Retirement	\$ 2,936.08
20.	Insurance	821.81
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		\$ 3,757.89
21.	Lands and New Buildings	98.70
CAPITAL OUTLAY:		
22.	Additions and Improvements to Buildings	\$ 924.78
23.	New Equipment	876.35
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		\$ 1,801.13
Debt and Interest:		
25.	Principal on Debt	\$ 6,000.00
26.	Interest on Debt	3,433.00
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		\$ 9,433.00
TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES		\$ 95,074.01
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TOTAL CASH ON HAND, JUNE 30, 1958		142.05
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GRAND TOTAL		\$ 95,216.06

### CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete to the best of our knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942, and upon forms prescribed by the State Tax Commission.

FRANK WHITTEMORE  
CAROLYN WRIGHT  
JACK BOYD

School Board

### AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Hollis of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. CLIFFORD MANNING  
G. F. McENNIS  
Auditors

## SALARIES — 1957-58

### A. Superintendent

State Share		\$ 2,500.00
Local Share		
Amherst	\$ 994.50	
Brookline	331.50	
Hollis	841.50	
Milford	2,703.00	
Mt. Vernon	229.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,100.00
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		\$ 7,600.00

### B. Helping Teacher

State Share		\$ 2,500.00
Local Share		
Amherst	\$ 565.50	
Brookline	188.50	
Hollis	478.50	
Milford	1,537.00	
Mt. Vernon	130.50	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,900.00
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		\$ 5,400.00

## BALANCE SHEET

June 30, 1958

### ASSETS

Cash on Hand June 30, 1958	\$ 142.05	
Net Debt (Excess of Liabilities over Assets)	173,857.95	
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TOTALS		\$174,000.00

### LIABILITIES

Notes and Bonds Outstanding	174,000.00	
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TOTAL		\$174,000.00

FRANK WHITTEMORE  
CAROLYN WRIGHT  
JACK BOYD  
School Board

Harold C. Bowley, Superintendent

### INDEBTEDNESS JUNE 30, 1958

New Elementary School	174,000.00
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## INSURANCE COVERAGE

Elementary School	\$ 65,000.00
Contents—Elementary School	10,000.00
High School	50,000.00
Contents—High School	6,000.00
Shop Building	1,000.00
Liability (Person & Products)	300,000.00
Boiler	50,000.00
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	\$482,000.00

## REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER

(For Fiscal Year July 1, 1957 to June 30, 1958)

Cash on Hand July 1, 1957		\$ 46.88
Received from Selectmen:		
Appropriations for Current Year	\$ 83,186.95	
Received from State Treasurer:		
State Funds	6,403.57	
Federal Funds	2,172.58	
Income from Trust Funds	1,074.06	
Received from Other Sources	299.02	
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TOTAL RECEIPTS		\$ 95,169.18
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TOTAL AMOUNT AVAILABLE FOR FISCAL		
YEAR (Balance and Receipts)		\$ 95,216.06
LESS SCHOOL BOARD ORDERS PAID		95,074.01
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		\$ 142.05

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education  
from all State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements, and other financial records of the Treasurer of the school district of Hollis, of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 and find them correct in all respects.

H. CLIFFORD MANNING  
GORDON McENNIS

Auditors

## NOTIFICATION OF SCHOOL ASSESSMENT, 1958

### EXPENDITURES

Current Expenditures	\$109,212.12	
Capital Outlay:		
Additions and Improvements	240.00	
New Equipment	3,542.00	
Debt and Interest	18,213.00	
Deficiency Appropriation	2,033.00	
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TOTAL APPROPRIATION		\$133,240.12

### RECEIPTS

Federal Aid (Estimate)	\$ 3,850.00	
State Aid (Estimate)	8,425.00	
Trust Funds (Estimate)	1,000.00	
Assessment Required to Meet		
School District Appropriation	119,965.12	
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TOTAL APPROPRIATION		\$133,240.12

I certify that the above is a correct statement of the obligations authorized, and the amounts to be assessed to meet statutory requirements and appropriations made at the annual meeting of Hollis School District held March 10, 1958.

BERYL ORDE

Clerk of the School District

## HOLLIS SCHOOL BOARD BUDGET

	Working Budget 1958-59	Proposed Budget 1959-60
<b>ADMINISTRATION:</b>		
1. Salaries of District Officers	\$ 279.00	\$ 279.00
2. Supt's. Salary (Local Share)	907.50	979.40
3. Tax for State-Wide Supervision	716.00	754.00
4. Salaries of Other Adm. Personnel	1,134.50	1,406.40
5. Supplies and Adm. Expenses	512.00	631.00
	<hr/> \$ 3,549.00	<hr/> \$ 4,049.80
<b>INSTRUCTION:</b>		
6. Principals' and Teachers' Salaries	66,700.00	80,148.00
7. Books and other Instructional Aids	1,275.00	1,800.00
8. Scholars' Supplies	1,775.00	2,400.00
10. Supplies and other Instructional Expenses	825.00	850.00
	<hr/> 70,575.00	<hr/> 85,198.00
<b>OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>		
11. Salaries of Janitors	5,700.00	5,800.00
12. Fuel or Heat	3,640.00	3,640.00
13. Water, Light, Janitor Supplies	2,400.00	2,500.00
	<hr/> 11,740.00	<hr/> 12,953.00
<b>MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT:</b>		
14. Repairs and Replacements	900.00	900.00
	<hr/> 900.00	<hr/> 900.00
<b>AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES:</b>		
15. Health Supervision	736.00	723.00
16. Transportation	10,800.00	10,800.00
17. Tuition	232.00	480.00
18. Special Activities	1,200.00	950.00
	<hr/> 12,968.00	<hr/> 12,953.00
<b>FIXED CHARGES:</b>		
19. Retirement	4,970.62	5,931.00
20. Insurance	1,459.50	1,177.17
	<hr/> 6,430.12	<hr/> 7,108.48

# CAPITAL OUTLAY:

22. Additions and Improvements	240.00	700.00
23. New Equipment	3,092.00	3,900.00
	<u>3,332.00</u>	<u>4,600.00</u>

# OTHER CHARGES:

25. Principal of Debt	13,000.00	13,000.00
26. Interest on Debt	5,213.00	4,827.00
27. Contingency Fund	3,500.00	3,500.00
	<u>21,713.00</u>	<u>21,327.00</u>
Deficiency	2,033.00	

Total

\$133,240.12 148,076.28

# ESTIMATED INCOME OF DISTRICT:

State Aid	4,300.00	14,125.00
Federal Aid	300.00	300.00
Contingency Fund	3,500.00	3,500.00
State Building Fund	4,125.00	
Trust Funds	1,000.00	1,400.00
Other	50.00	50.00
	<u>13,275.00</u>	<u>19,375.00</u>
Assessment needed March 1958	119,965.12	
Assessment needed March 1959		128,701.28
	<u>\$133,240.12</u>	<u>148,076.28</u>

## SYNOPSIS OF SCHOOL MEETING

March 10, 1958

The annual meeting of the Hollis School District was called to order at 8:15 P. M. in the Lower Town Hall by Moderator Towne with about 80 voters present. Prayer was offered by Rev. Seth Newton. Moderator Towne read the Warrant Articles 1 to 10 inclusive and ruled that in all ballot votes the check list must be used.

Article 1. Warren Towne nominated and seconded. Total votes cast, 10, Necessary choice, 6. Towne received 9 and William Sprowle, 1. Towne declared elected.

Article 2. Beryl Orde and H. C. Manning nominated. Total votes 45. Necessary choice 23. Manning received 12 and Beryl Orde 33 and was declared elected.

Article 3. Jack Boyd was nominated by Elwin Hardy. No other nominations. Total votes cast 22 and Jack Boyd received all of them and was declared elected.

Article 4. It was explained that Arthur Davis had resigned as Treasurer since he is leaving town. Therefore it was voted that the Treasurer elected for the ensuing year should also be elected for the balance of the present year. Beryl Orde was nominated by H. C. Manning. No other nominations. 18 votes cast and Beryl Orde received all of them and was declared elected.

Article 5. Voted to pass this by and to take it up under the budget recommendations.

Article 6. Since reports are printed in the Town Report it was ruled that they be accepted as printed. Jack Boyd as Chairman of the Building Committee reported that the six room addition to the Elementary School could be built for \$107,000 instead of \$112,000 as estimated last year.

Article 7. Voted that auditors elected for Town affairs should also audit school district funds.

Article 8. Jack Boyd called attention to increased budget over last year's as caused largely by four factors, namely:

1. An increase in salaries.
2. An increase in number of teachers.
3. An increase in maintenance cost of six additional rooms in the Elementary School.



4. An attempt to comply with new State Board of Education standards so that we may qualify on a temporary basis as an "Approved Secondary School." This will include a commercial course this year. Claire Goulder moved that \$450.00 be transferred from item #23 of the budget (New Equipment) and added to Item #18 (Special Activities) to be used for more reference books for school libraries. Voted. Then H. C. Manning moved that the District raise and appropriate \$131,307.12 for the support of the schools for the salaries of school district officials and agents and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the State Foundation Aid Fund, together with other income the School Board to certify to the Selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town. Seconded by Claire Goulder. Voted unanimously.

Article 9. Moved by Helen Lates "That the School District adopt as its check list the Town Check List as provided in R.S.A 197; 12A, as inserted by laws of 1957, chapter 57, this provision to be effective for the 1959 and subsequent annual district meetings." Seconded and voted unanimously.

Article 10. Erving Simonds moved "That the district raise and appropriate the sum of \$2,033 for the first interest payment for the new school construction, said sum to be made available as a deficiency appropriation prior to June 1, 1958." Seconded. Jack Boyd explained that the first interest payment on the \$107,000 bond issue for construction of addition to the Elementary School was due and paid from unexpended appropriated funds on March 1, 1958. Erving Simonds moved that a rising vote of thanks be extended to Arthur G. Davis for his many years as Treasurer, Clerk, Member of School Board and many study and building committees. Voted unanimously. Voted to adjourn at 9:20 P. M.

Respectfully submitted,

ARTHUR G. DAVIS, Clerk

# THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

## ADMINISTRATION

I herewith present my twentieth annual report, consisting of this discussion together with other reports printed herewith.

## INSTRUCTION

### CHANGES

Mrs. Gerda Tuttle—replaced Carl Perrin in Languages at the High School

Mr. Arthur Cull—became the new commercial teacher

Mr. C. Kendrick Capon—became the new 7th grade teacher

Miss Sheila Murphy—became the new 3rd grade teacher

Mrs. Glenice Sundstrom—became the new 6th grade teacher

Miss Louise Snow—became the new 1st grade teacher

Five of the above were not replacements but new teachers because of the expansion of classes and facilities.

### SALARIES

The average salary of classroom teachers in N. H. follows:

	1958-59	1957-58
Elementary	\$3,981.	\$3,721.
Secondary	4,418.	4,156.
All	4,151.	3,888.

About 6.8% increase

Since we are competitive with neighbors, consider:

		1958-59	1957-58	1956-57
National Average	N. H. was lower by	\$ 624.	\$ 630.	\$ 600.
Massachusetts	N. H. was lower by	799.	760.	705.
Rhode Island	N. H. was lower by	774.	885.	905.
Connecticut	N. H. was lower by	1,199.	1,060.	1,030.
New York	N. H. was lower by	2,049.	1,797.	1,930.
Vermont	N. H. was higher by	176.	290.	320.
Maine	N. H. was higher by	326.	490.	595.

The differential between our state and the two last states is rapidly closing and the differential in four of the other states is so much higher that it is almost impossible to recruit teachers from Maine or Vermont.

A comparison of teachers with labor or professions is constantly made. Labor works approximately 40 hours per week for 50 weeks or 2,000 hours per year. Some teachers testify to 48 hours for 40 weeks or 1,920 hours per year. Surely the professions teaching, is considered a profession because post-secondary professional training is a pre-requisite to employment, would work as many hours as labor. Therefore, some agreement should be possible as to what per cent of labor or profession yearly time the teacher is employed. The claims range from 50 to 85%. If we chose an arbitrary figure of 70%, with an average salary of \$6,000 for skilled labor and \$8,000 for professions, thus we justify an average salary of \$4,200-\$5,600. Choosing a higher percentage, and many would argue for a much higher one, the average salary of classroom teachers would increase. To my mind, these averages have not yet been reached.

The whole purpose of this discussion is to plead for proper recognition of your teachers—a basic necessity in these days of many miracles—before the leveling off of fiscal matter takes place, leaving inequities unadjusted. We need money to recruit the best candidates to go into teaching and must pay them well to keep them as teachers.

### COSTS

To keep you aware of our costs as compared with others, I present the following:

	Total cost per Elem. Pupil	Total cost per High School Pupil
Amherst	\$228.30	\$
Brookline	172.16	
Hollis	207.58	321.14
Milford	212.89	310.31
Mont Vernon	176.75	
Bedford	241.86	
Merrimack	220.49	265.68
Nashua	244.60	388.62
New Boston	213.24	411.33
Wilton	258.94	299.26

These costs do not include transportation and capital outlays and are for 1956-1957, the last tabulation available. Five other districts adjacent to this Union are included to show what their financial problem is as well as those of this Union. If later figures were available, the probability is that the same comparison would hold as illustrated above. The average for all pupils in N. H. in 1956-57 was \$235.04 for Elementary and \$350.32 for High School.

## SOME OBSERVATIONS

"That scholars will not improve under the best of teachers unless they themselves study or are made to study. The teacher can direct, but the scholar must learn." Such is the quote from a town report of a hundred years ago. Is it none-the-less true today?

President Eisenhower in a recent statement speaks in terms of education as a critical area and needing "goals or standards." We look with interest for a development of this idea. Would it be appropriate in America or is it too Russian for our thinking? Does it mean that everyone must take the same work? Dr. Conant has just published his report of a two year study of American high schools. What he has to say concerns all of us. In the first place he would eliminate the small high school and develop larger area comprehensive schools. He would require certain basic courses of all, place pupils in subject sections according to their ability, have vocational courses for the non-college students, encourage the top 15% to take more challenging courses, and give special attention to the highly gifted 3% and to pupils of low reading ability. In brief, these are his recommendations.

I make these observations because I think the impact of these opinions will be felt throughout the educational world in the next few years at least. We need to study them carefully.

## NEEDS

Complete utilization of the new addition and the expansion of the high school program to meet minimum standards would entail the employment of two new teachers, one to be a shop teacher and the other in the junior high grades. This also involves outlay to equip the shop and to provide extra transportation for grades 7 & 8.

## APPRECIATION

The writer is very grateful to all the School Board, Teachers, Parents, Pupils and other associates for their contributions to another successful school year.

HAROLD C. BOWLEY

January 29, 1959

## HELPING TEACHER

In 1954 the first Helping Teacher's report was published. The program was then in the process of development and its main phases were discussed.

Now, after five years, the role of Helping Teacher seems to have crystalized to a considerable degree. The basic purpose will continue to be the same—to help. Since the sole aim of the school is to educate our children the role of Helping Teacher must be that of help to all concerned with this task. The following is a summary of many of the activities at present connected with this position.

### WORK WITH AND FOR THE TEACHERS

Class visitations whenever possible average one a week for each teacher. During these visits the teacher's needs are noted and problems considered. Conferences are arranged if the teacher so desires.

Individual and group conferences are concerned with scheduling, daily and long-range plans, curriculum development, teaching techniques, pupil problems, grouping, promotions, special programs for retarded and gifted, educational materials, etc. Also, through individual conferences, progress reports designed to keep the curriculum coordinated as to subject matter, time allotment, and materials, are made twice a year.

The Joplin Plan for better grouping and reading now in effect in four schools requires continued evaluation and consideration.

The Helping Teacher's Bulletin, written each month, is intended to offer helpful suggestions, and to share ideas and useful information.

Group testing. We have a regular testing program from pre-school through Grade 12. Reading readiness tests are given in August to the in-coming first graders. The results are evaluated and the children grouped according to their needs. Other group tests are reading and mental maturity in Grade One, reading in Grade Two, and by alternation reading, mental maturity, arithmetic and study skills in Grades Three through Nine. A yearly program of reading and language testing is conducted in Grades 10 and 12. Much time is spent in evaluating the tests, interpreting the results and making them available to the teachers. A comparison is made with the results on a Union-wide and on a National basis.

Illustrated talks on various countries and regions of the world are given whenever requested by the teachers. These serve to enrich the social studies program.

Help is given in the selection and use of educational and professional books and materials.

Much work is done with and through the Principals who, without exception, are very cooperative.



## WORK WITH PUPILS

Pupils are tested individually when it seems necessary to have additional understanding of their particular needs, or when previous records are incomplete. Upon occasion special help is given an individual or a group. This might be a group activity, remedial work, or even helping a left-handed pupil to write.

Conferences are held with pupils who might be having problems concerning work or behavior.

Clinics and first grade registrations in the several towns provide opportunities for help.

## WORK WITH PARENTS

Many contacts with parents are possible through the reading readiness program. Parents are present when the children take the tests and desire conferences when the results are made known.

Children having difficulty in making adjustments to any of the many phases of school life are referred to the Helping Teacher by the parent. Contact with the parent must be maintained as long as the problem exists.

## MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITIES

Planning and organizing workshops, extension courses and other in-service training.

Collecting and distributing educational and professional materials.

Serving on the Steering Commission—a local teachers organization.

Attending school board meetings—Milford regularly, others upon invitation.

Speaking at P. T. A. and other meetings.

Devising tests for certain subject units, but particularly for reading readiness to suit our own needs.

Activities outside the Union would include attendance at Helping Teachers and other educational meetings, conferences at the State Department of Education for the development of a state-wide testing program, as a speaker or consultant at workshops or study groups.

Cooperation on the part of all those directly or indirectly associated with the above program has been responsible for any measure of its success. And so to the Parents, Teachers, Principals, Members of the School Boards, and Superintendent who have helped me to help our children I am very grateful.

Respectfully,

MABEL I. CONNOLLY  
Helping Teacher

## HIGH SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. Harold C. Bowley  
 Superintendent of Schools  
 Milford, New Hampshire

I herewith submit my second report as principal of Hollis High School.

The following is a list of subjects and the number of pupils presently enrolled in each subject:

High School		Junior High School	
Subject	Pupils	Subject	Pupils
Advanced Mathematics	6	Art—Grade 7	25
Art	68	Art—Grade 8	29
Biology	23	English—Grade 7	25
Bookkeeping	8	English—Grade 8	29
Civics	28	Geography—Grade 7	25
Chemistry	20	Guidance—Grade 8	29
Contemporary Problems	14	Ancient History—	
Elementary Algebra	24	Grade 7	25
English—Grade 9	26	U. S. History—	
English—Grade 10	21	Grade 8	29
English—Grade 11	28	Home Economics—	
English—Grade 12	15	Grade 7	16
French I	13	Home Economics—	
French II	9	Grade 8	16
General Business	9	Literature—Grade 7	25
General Mathematics	6	Mathematics—Grade 7	25
General Science	13	Mathematics—Grade 8	29
Geometry	10	Music—Grades 7 & 8	54
Guidance	*	Science—Grade 8	29
History of		Shop—Grade 7	9
Civilization	14	Shop—Grade 8	13
Homemaking II	6		
Homemaking IV	9		
Intermediate Algebra	13		
Latin II	12		
Music	90		
Stenography I	11		
Typing	25		
U. S. History	17		

\*Taught to all pupils in their home rooms.

Pupils having perfect attendance records for the year of 1958 are:

Dorothy Mullen, Grade 11  
John Seager, Grade 10  
Lawrence Graves, Grade 9  
Nancy Parkhurst, James Seager, Grade 7

Twelve seniors graduated in June, 1958. At the present time six are in four year colleges or universities, one is in nurses training, one is a housewife and four are employed.

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

January to June 1958	September through December 1958
Valentine Ball	Student Council Elections
Science Fair	Mountain Day
Field Day	Senior Play
Senior Class Trip	Open House
Junior-Senior Prom	Freshman Initiation
Record Hops	Record Hops
Roller Skating Parties	School News Paper
Base Ball	Assemblies
Baccalaureate	Christmas Pageant
Senior Banquet	
Graduation	

The School Lunch Program commenced operation on September 16. Approximately 260 pupils are being served Type A lunches under the supervision of Mrs. Winifred Casey and Mrs. Nelson Parkhurst. Total receipts for 1958 were \$14,118.37 and total expenditures were \$13,520.27.

#### Program and Policy Changes:

1. Business Education has been added to the curriculum. This includes two classes of Typing, one of Stenography, one of General Business and one of Bookkeeping.
2. A third year of French has been added to the curriculum. According to language specialists the three year language program has a far-reaching effect as compared with a two year program.
3. Formerly Junior and Senior pupils were grouped together for their English class. Due to the size class that this would make (43), these grades now have separate classes. This permits a more realistic and adequate curriculum organization which better meets the differering academic needs of these two groups of pupils.



4. A basic school library has been established. Even in this formative stage the library has had a strong broadening effect on the subject matter content of courses. The books and periodicals purchased by the School Department are supplemented by the donations of many Townspeople. Some very serviceable steel book shelves were donated by Mr. Frank Walters. I wish to thank the P.T.A. Library Committee and the many who have so generously donated their books, periodicals, equipment, money and time to make this project successful.

5. The chemistry laboratory has been re-equipped and supplied with all materials necessary for a comprehensive course in high school chemistry. Additional water and gas outlets were installed to increase laboratory capacity to 20 pupils.

6. Classes in Guidance are held in the home rooms for all pupils.

7. Formerly all pupils were required to take four years of Art. The policy of having Art elective but required of all pupils for at least two years is now in effect. This policy has reduced the size of art classes to the extent that they are more in line with the time and the facilities given to Art.

8. The Shop has been supplied with additional hand tools for grade seven and grade eight classes.

9. Classes in Intermediate Algebra and Advanced Mathematics are being offered simultaneously rather than on an alternating basis. This allows for the further development of certain mathematical concepts and results in more adequate preparation of pupils for college.

The needs of college preparatory pupils are well served by the basically academic offerings of our school. However, it is apparent that the needs of the non-college pupils are severely restricted and lack diversity. This fact is borne out by the drop-out rate of the latter type of pupil.

The painting of the front of the school building and the many other repairs and alterations have done much to enhance the school plant. They are very much appreciated.

In closing I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the co-operation and assistance given me by you, Miss Connolly, the School Board, Teachers, Parents and Townspeople.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID O. WADE

Principal, Hollis High School

## ELEMENTARY SCHOOL PRINCIPAL

Mr. Harold C. Bowley  
Superintendent of Schools  
Milford, New Hampshire

I herewith submit my fourth report as principal of the Hollis Elementary School.

The new six room addition to our school was completed during the summer making it possible to divide our large grades for more effective teaching. All children of each grade have the same basic curriculum but the split grades have more enrichment as the children of greatest ability are in these.

The September 1959 entering class of at least 47 children presents another problem of splitting the total enrollment.

The enrollment of the first six grades September 3rd was 223. Nine pupils entered during the year while six transferred leaving the present enrollment 226 as of January 15th.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy for the period September 5th to January 15th were:

Grade 2—Bruce Archambault, Virginia Austin, and Donald Frost

Grade 3—Jo-Ann Lagasse and Peter Beers

Grade 3-4—John Hambleton and Marcia Allen

Grade 4—David Austin, Barbara Boyd, Norman Lagasse, Richard Lund, Neil Parkhurst, Timothy Spence, and Robert Tabit

Grade 5—Maurice Allen, David Archambault, Scott Hodgkins, Alfonzo Stevens, and Edna Terry

Grade 5-6—Charles Twitchell, James Luce, Gerald Bell, Margaret Taylor, and Charles Goodwin

Grade 6—Steven Kibby and Francis Storm

Our teaching staff and Helping Teacher remain the same as last year with these additions:

Mrs. Jane Wright of Milford—Art—Grades 4 - 6

Mrs. Glenice Sundstrom—Grade 6

Miss Sheila Murphy of Merrimack—Grade 3

Miss Louise Snow of Nashua—Grade 1

Philip Guyette and Kenneth Marvell share the custodian duties.

With only one day of art instruction in both schools our program was greatly curtailed this year due to the large enrollment. Only the three upper grades were included in the instruction. Provision should be made next year for additional instruction in both art and music to include all grades.

We are trying out the Joplin plan of reading this year where every child attends the reading class according to his ability to read regardless of the grade he is in. This is made possible by scheduling all reading classes at the same time of day. It has worked out exceptionally well. Pupils of low reading ability seem to be much happier because they can achieve much more.

## ACTIVITIES

The pre-school clinic in May was very successful with about 90% of the entering class attending.

California reading and arithmetic tests were given in the various grades with all grades averaging above the national norm.

Memorial Day exercises were held May 29th in the all-purpose room. Mr. Lester Perham, N. H. Dept. Vice-Commander of the American Legion, of Milford, was the speaker.

The playground on the south side of the new building was seeded in the fall making more play space for the lower grades. The hot topped area behind the building was enlarged. This is kept plowed during the winter making an ideal play area for all grades when the snow is deep.

Interested parents and P.T.A. members under the direction of Mr. Quinton repaired and painted all of the playground equipment. They also erected new backboards for basketball practice.

A reception for the faculty was held at the October supper meeting of the P.T.A.

Pintner General Ability tests were given to Grades 5, 6, and 7 September 20th and followed by the Metropolitan Achievement tests October 6 and 7th. It is felt that tests given early in the year are more beneficial as weak areas can be spotted and corrected at once. All grades averaged above the national norm.

The purpose of the Workshop for all teachers in this union, which was held in Milford November 24-26, was to help teachers evaluate and make better use of the test results.

American Educational Week was observed throughout the second week of November. Open House was held Monday evening, November 10th, at which time each teacher explained what she hoped to accomplish during the school year. Parent-teacher conferences followed.

The state bookmobile visits our school every two months leaving about one hundred fifty reference and leisure reading books which are selected by the teachers. These are valuable to us in our teaching.

Bus transportation to the public library is provided Thursday afternoons for pupils of Grades 4 - 6.

We have been given a new set of World Book Encyclopedias which we needed badly. The donors desire to remain anonymous but our teachers and pupils are very grateful.

The P.T.A. has again donated \$50 for the purchase of library books.

Mrs. Hammond, our speech teacher, is giving instruction to thirteen pupils with speech defects but the instructional periods are so short they are not very effective.

About 80% of the pupils are taking advantage of the hot lunch program which is in operation the entire year.

All twelve classrooms will be in use next year when grade eight remains in this building.

A full time principal with opportunity to help teachers with remedial work would be much more effective than a teaching principal.

I wish to express my sincere appreciation for the cooperation and help given to me by you, Miss Connolly, the School Board, Teachers, Parents and Townspeople.

Respectfully submitted.

MADELINE DENAULT

Elementary Principal

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD

Included in this Annual Report of the School District; are reports from your Superintendent, Helping Teacher, Elementary and High School Principals, and the School Building Committee. Our report will include areas not covered in these others.

The resignation of Arthur Davis, Clerk and Treasurer of the District, was accepted at the School District Meeting in March 1958. We are grateful to Mr. Davis for long and valued service as a board member, faithful worker on two building committees and countless other services to our District.

Mrs. Beryl Orde was elected to his unexpired term and to serve for the year 1958-1959. Due to illness in her family which necessitated her absence from the District, we accepted Mrs. Orde's resignation June 30, 1958. We wish to extend our thanks and appreciation to her for many years of excellent service as a School Official. Mr. Kenneth Trow was appointed Treasurer and Clerk for the 1958-1959 term and has been a very capable replacement.

During an electrical storm this past summer, the cupola of the High School Building was struck by lightning, resulting in a fire. Fortunately, this occurred during daylight hours and smoke was observed before the fire became a severe problem. Prompt action by the Town Fire Department prevented a serious outbreak which could have resulted in a real catastrophe. The cupola has been a problem in past years with lightning and wind a constant threat to its existence. After an insurance settlement, we decided that the cupola should be removed. A bid was accepted for this work and it was completed. We feel that the safety and appearance of the building has been improved.

Our Fire Chief has conducted a thorough inspection of both school buildings. Some suggestions were made and have been carried out. A fire detection system was recommended for the High School Building and it is our plan to follow thru with three detection units and an outside gong. In addition we have included in our budget for the coming year, finances to extend present fire escapes to ground level.

We are making continued progress in meeting our State's minimum standards. Next year's plans include improved science facilities for grades 7 and 8, new Physics equipment, a tape recorder for our language courses and a General Shop Course in wood-working for the High School.



Grades 7 and 8 will be housed in the Elementary Building and will be transported to the High School for courses in Shop and Home Economics.

State Aid for building purposes and the State Equalization Fund are aiding our District with approximately \$14,000. This amount will be slightly less than 10% of our District's costs unless the legislature passes some of the current educational aid bills.

Our School expenses are placing an exceptionally heavy burden on property taxpayers. This will continue until the State enacts a broad base tax designation to aid in educational costs.

The State of New Hampshire has received Federal funds to disburse on a matching basis to districts for guidance, modern language and science purposes. We hope to qualify for a portion of this aid. General Federal Aid is an area that has possibilities for the future.

We wish to thank our Administration Staff and all the people in town who are sincerely interested in the educational growth of our children and we are grateful for the cooperation and effort in their behalf.

Respectfully submitted

FRANK WHITTEMORE  
CAROLYN WRIGHT  
JACK BOYD

Hollis School Board

## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BUILDING COMMITTEE

The original estimates for building and equipping the addition to the elementary school indicated an expenditure of \$112,000.00. Due to the fact that we could not exceed our legal debt limit, we were given an appropriation of \$107,000.00 the first year with the balance of \$5,000.00 to come the following year.

When the work was actually let out for bids, we found that there was so little construction going on that contractors were anxious to get jobs. Consequently, the bids were quite low. Another thing to our advantage was the fact that the money received from the bond issue was reinvested in Government securities until such time as the money was actually required. This brought in \$1,373.81 of additional income. Due to these factors we have found that we were able to do the entire job for \$107,000.00.

Following is a tabulation of receipts and expenditures to date:

### RECEIPTS

From Bond Issue	\$107,000.00	
From Invested Funds	1,373.81	
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Total Receipts		\$108,373.81

### EXPENDITURES

General Contractor	\$ 88,897.32	
Architect Fees	5,333.84	
Cost of Bond Issue	421.36	
Electrical Fixtures	1,723.41	
Grading, Walks, & Drives	1,538.46	
Manhole	343.88	
Window Shades	360.04	
Equipment	6,740.63	
Insurance	230.18	
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Total Expenditures		\$105,589.12
Balance Unexpended as of February 1, 1959		\$ 2,784.69

The building has now been finished, and has in the most part been fully equipped. There are two things still to be done and they will be completed this summer. First, there are some alterations to be made in the water system in order to handle the additional load. Secondly, it will be necessary to rearrange the kitchen equipment, and to purchase some additional facilities as a result of the increased enrollment.

You will note from the figures outlined above that we have an unexpended balance of \$2,784.69. We feel that with this amount we will be able to do both of these things and still remain within the original appropriation of \$107,000.00.

JACK BOYD  
Chairman

# GENERAL STATISTICS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR

1957-58

Number of pupils registered during year:	
Boys 180; Girls 186	366
Enrollment by Grades:	
I—42; II—38; III—41; IV—36;	
V—38; VI—28; VII—32; VIII—32	
IX—25; X—25; XI—17; XII—12	366
Average membership in Grades 1-8	278.1
Per cent of attendance in Grades 1-8	90.2
Average membership in Grades 9-12	77.0
Per cent of attendance in Grades 9-12	94.4
Number of sessions in all schools	354.
Teaching Positions—Elementary—9	
High—8	
Part-time Teachers—2	

## SCHOOL CENSUS

Beryl R. Orde, Enumerator

Age as of Sept. 1, 1958	Total	Enumerator Boys	Girls	No. Attending Public School
Under 1 Year	31	15	16	
1	43	19	24	
2	33	20	13	
3	38	13	25	
4	56	29	27	
5	46	23	23	
6	29	18	11	28
7	42	20	22	41
8	38	26	12	37
9	44	17	27	40
10	27	14	13	25
11	57	30	27	56
12	33	12	21	29
13	21	9	12	21
14	32	13	19	30
15	33	15	18	30
16	24	11	13	19
17	21	17	4	14
TOTALS	648	321	327	370



## OUR TEACHERS

Teacher	Grade or Subject	Experience Here	Total Experience
Capon, C. Kendrick	Grade VII	1	1
Casey, Winifred (Mrs.)	Home Economics	5	12
Craig, Janet (Mrs.)	Grade V	3	5
Cull, Arthur	Commercial	1	1
Denault, Madeline (Mrs.)	Grade VI & Prin.	36	40
Foote, Mildred (Mrs.)	Grade IV	4	10
Fortier, Pauline (Mrs.)	Social Studies, Math, Languages	3	20
Marshall, Olive	Math & Social Studies	9	19
Murphy, Sheila	Grade III	1	1
Nilson, Margelyn (Mrs.)	Grade I	4	11
Perham, Mary (Mrs.)	Grade III	9	16
Snow, Louise	Grade I	1	1
Sundstrom, Glenice (Mrs.)	Grade VI	1	1
Tuttle, Gerda (Mrs.)	English & Languages	1	2
Vlangas, Dick	Social Studies 7-8	3	3
Wade, David	Prin., Science and Math	2	7
Welner, Mary (Mrs.)	Grade II	3	21
Edwards, Ethelyn	Music (Part-Time)		
Hammond, Catherine	Lip-Reading (Part-Time)		
Wright, Jane	Art (Part-Time)		

## GRADUATES — 1958

Nancy Jean Beal  
 Jeanette Holton Burt  
 Marjorie Pauline Deschenes  
 Anita Jeannette Fisher  
 Beverly Joan Frost  
 Miriam Carol Glover  
 Lawrence James Lingley  
 Jeffrey Clifford Manning  
 Linda Lou Marvell  
 Bertina Jean Taylor  
 Patricia Louise Taylor  
 Richard Sefton Wright

# REPORT OF HEALTH SUPERVISION

1957-58

DR. ALEXANDER G. LAW, M.D., Examiner

(Mrs.) Virginia Gill, R.N., School Nurse

The total number of children examined 258

The following defects, treatments and corrections were reported:

	Defects	Pupils Receiving Treatment
Defective Tonsils & Adenoids	8	6
Defective Teeth	19	12
Orthopedic	16	10
Acne	18	10
Defective Glands	2	2
Defective Vision	5	5
Defective Hearing	4	3
Defective Skin	2	2

Parents were informed of all the above cases.

## Diseases Reported:

Measles	2
Chicken Pox	1
Whooping Cough	1
Mumps	33
Impetigo	2

Preschool Clinic—May 8 & 9, 1958—No. Examined—35

No. Home Visits by School Nurse—33

## AUDITOR'S CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all  
State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the School Board of Hollis of which this is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1958 and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

H. C. MANNING

G. F. McENNIS



